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THE TARIFF BILL GOES TO CONGRESS.

It Is Introduced in the House by Dingley Who Urges Its Passage.

REPUBLICANS ARE AGREED

They Finally Decide Upon the Questions in Dispute.

TEXT OF THE MEASURE.

Beet Industries Protected and Cotton and Jute Made Dutiable.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The House was crowded early today with members who animately discussed the new tariff schedules. Soon after assembling Mr. Dingley submitted the conference report on the tariff bill and made an effort to get the Democrats to agree to vote this evening, but they insisted on two days for debate and, without reaching any agreement as to when the vote should be taken, Mr. Arding took the floor and opened the debate in favor of the adoption of the conference report.

Mr. Dingley declared every day's delay was costing the Treasury $100,000. A volley of questions was fired at him as to the effect of the sugar schedule and Mr. Dingley insisted that under the Wilson law the sugar refiner had a differential of 22½ cents a hundred pounds against 12½ cents in the conference bill. The bill he calculated would raise the next year $225,000,000 or $75,000,000 more than the present law. Owing to anticipatory importations, it would raise only $185,000,000 this year.

He closed by predicting higher prices and a restoration of prosperity under the bill.

Messrs. Wheeler of Alabama and Swanson of Virginia, in behalf of the Democrats, attacked the sugar schedule of the bill and said the rapid advance of sugar stock in Wall street today was the clearest evidence of the benefits conferred on the sugar trust.

The impression in the House, based on statements made by House leaders is that the tariff debate will extend late into the night, the Republicans intending to force a vote before adjournment.

THE TEXT OF THE TARIFF SCHEDULE.

Jute and Cotton Goods Are Placed on the Dutiable List.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The statement of the Republican conferees, made the following explanation of the effect of the changes agreed upon by the conferees in the schedules other than the sugar schedule:

Metals and manufactures of the reductions of duties on some forms of iron and steel proposed by the Senate are accepted in part as proposed and several new paragraphs as introduced not heretofore specially provided for.

Cotton ties which were placed on the free list by the Senate are restored to the dutiable list at a reduced duty of five-tenths of one cent.

Tin plates are placed at the rate of duty provided in the bill as it passed the House.

Structural iron is reduced one-tenth of one cent.

The Senate amendment (270) on pocket knives, which is substantially the same as the paragraph passed by the House, is agreed to and a compromise rate is adopted on guns.

AN INCREASE ON LEAD

The House agrees to the Senate amendment (316) increasing the duty on lead ore to 1½c and the duty on pig lead (3.1) is placed at 2 1-8c.

Nickel ore and nickel matter are left on the free list as provided by the House.

Wood and manufactures of wood—All sawed lumber except sawed timber exceeding eight inches square is left at the rate of $2 per 1,000 as provided by the House. Planed lumber is also placed at the House rates.

Tobacco and manufactures of—The duty on wrapper tobacco is placed at $1.85 per pound, a compromise between the House rate of $2 and the Senate rate of $1.75 and the Senate reduction on filler tobacco is accepted.

Chemical schedule—Amendments No. 11 and 43 restore argols and chicle to the dutiable list at the rates provided by the House.

Amendment 12 places bleaching powders on the dutiable list at the rate of one-tenth of one cent per pound as provided by the Senate.

Amendment 104 increases the duty on soda ash from one-fourth of one cent as provided by the House bill to three-eighths of one cent as provided by the Senate amendment.

Number 92 reduced the duty on cyanide of potassium to 12½ per cent ad valorem as provided by the Senate.

Number 168 restores crude sulphur to the free list. No. 110 leaves Tonka beans and vanilla beans on the free list. Nos. 3 and 14 raise the duty on borates as provided by the Senate. Several amendments on lead paints, adjust the rates to increased duty on lead.

The other amendments in the chemical schedule concur with the Senate in slight reductions of rates on many chemicals and other articles including linseed olive oil and coal tar dyes and an increase of the rates on camphor and ground drugs.

CROCKERY IS DUTIABLE.

Earths, earthenware and glassware—Crockery ware is restored to the duties provided by the bill as it passed the House which are substantially the duties of the act of 1890.

Glassware is left in the main at the rates provided by the House bill, the reductions being in paragraphs relating to bottles, molded and pressed glassware and cylinder and crown glass.

Cement (116) and (117) is left at the duty provided by the House.

The duty of $1 per ton on gypsum rock No. 118 proposed by the Senate is reduced to 50c and the duty on ground and calcined plaster raised to $2.25 per ton. China clay No. 1-7 is left at $2 per ton as provided by the House.

The duty on Fuller's earth (132) is slightly increased, but left at a lower rate than proposed by the Senate.

Marble (190) is placed at the increased rates proposed by the Senate.

Agricultural products—A compromise between the House and the Senate rates in cattle (671) is agreed to.

In general the duties proposed on agricultural products are the same as those in the act of 1890.

Orange and lemons are raised from the House rate of three-fourths of one cent per pound to the Senate rate of one cent.

Fish are placed at rates a little higher than those which were provided by the act of 1890 and a little lower than the House rates.

Spirits, wines, etc.—The Senate rates on spirits, wines, etc., are adopted in the main.

Cotton and cotton good—The duty of 20 per cent on imported cotton, as proposed by the Senate, is not agreed to for the reason that the only cotton imported is Egyptian cotton, which is a quality not produced here. The cotton schedule as a whole, remains substantially the same as in the bill passed by the House.

A DUTY ON JUTE

Flax, hemp and jute manufactures—The Senate changes in flax and hemp are adopted. Compromise rates on manufactures of jute, flax, etc., are agreed to, the object being to develop the industry in this country.

The Senate amendments to place burlaps, bags, cotton bagging and straw mattings on the free list are disagreed to and the manufactures placed on the dutiable list at reduced rates.

Wool and woolens—The House rate on wool of 11 cents on class 1 and 12 cents on class 2, are adopted and the Senate specific rates on carpet wools are agreed to, with a modification raising the dividing line so as to place a duty of 4 cents per pound on such wools valued at 12 cents and less and 7 cents on such wools valued at more than 12 cents.

The duties on manufactures of wool are placed at substantially the same rates as in the act of 1890.

Silks—The duties on silks remain at substantially the same rates as provided by the House.

PAPER AND PULP.

Paper and pulp—The duties on wood pulp for paper and on paper are converted into specific form at substantially the present ad valorem with a proviso added for an additional duty as against any country that imposes an export duty on pulp or woods. The duties on manufactures of paper are substantially as they passed the House.

Sundries—This schedule remains substantially as it passed the House.

Coal, however, is reduced 67 cents per ton and coal slack or culm to 15 cents per ton, as proposed by Senate amendment 674.

A duty of 15 per cent is placed on hides of cattle which were placed on the free list by the House. The Senate amendment 698 proposed a duty of 20 per cent, but this has been reduced to 15 per cent. A proviso is added for a full drawback of the duty paid on hides subsequently exported as leather.

Paintings and statuary for private use are made dutiable as provided by the House at 20 per cent.

THE HOUSE FREE LIST.

The free list—The free list as it passed the House is in the main adopted except that bolting cloths and several kinds of essential oils have been added.

The House provision applying a remedy to the wholesale introduction of goods into this country free of duty by Americans visiting Europe is substantially adopted.

REGARDING RECIPROCITY.

Reciprocity provisions—The House and the Senate reciprocity plans are united and adopted with modifications. In the Senate plan any commercial treaty must be approved by Congress before it goes into effect and in the House plan, chicle, silk laces, sugar, mineral waters and hides have been stricken out and Tonka and vanilla beans added.

The Senate provision imposing an equivalent countervailing duty on imports from foreign countries which have paid an export duty is adopted.

TAX ON CIGARETTES.

Internal Revenue provisions—The Senate provision increasing the internal revenue tax on cigarettes is agreed to with an amendment covering cigarettes wrapped in tobacco and provisions to enforce the collection of tax.

The Senate amendment changing the law so as to allow no rebate on beer is agreed to.

The Senate provision for a stamp tax on the issue and transfer of stock and on bonds issued by corporations is omitted from the bill.

The administrative sections added to the bill by the Senate are substantially the same as those passed by the House in the Fifty-fourth Congress and are agreed to with slight amendments.

THE SUGAR SCHEDULE IS COMPLETED.

Protection Is Given to the Beet Industry as Provided by the House.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Republican conferees made public a statement concerning the conference report in which it reviewed the changes made. Of sugar the statement says:

"The House differential between raw and refined sugars and the general features of the House schedule are preserved and the Senate amendments increasing the differential to one-fifth and providing for a reduction of one-tenth of the duty on raw sugars, not above 87 degrees which would have given a duty of $1 39 on 88 degrees sugar and only $1.26 on 87 degrees sugar, are not adopted.

"In deference to the wishes of those interested in beet sugar production, that the Senate rate of $1.95 on refined sugar might be retained as an increased encouragement to this industry, the duty on raw sugars is increased seven and one-half hundredths, so as to make the increase on them the same as the increase on refined sugar and thus leave the differential between raw sugar and refined the same as in the House bill. And to meet the objection which has been urged that the House rates on low grade sugar show a higher ad valorem than those on the higher grades, the duty on 75-degree sugar is reduced five-hundredths of one cent and then the duty per degree increased regularly three-hundredths (as proposed in the House bill), to three and a half hundredths in order to raise the duty on raw sugar the same as on refined.

"By this arrangement the duty on raw sugars of 100 degrees purity is raised from $1 75 (as proposed originally by the House) to $1 82½.

"The duty on refined sugar is raised from $1.87½ (as proposed originally by the House) to $1.95, thus giving the same differential of twelve and a half hundredths between raw and refined sugar as this point was originally given by the House.

"As this arrangement will increase the revenue over two millions of dollars and at the same time give additional encouragement to the production of sugar in this country, it is thought to be a desirable consummation."

The paragraph in relation to sugar in full is as follows:

"Sugars not above number 16, Dutch standard in color, tank bottoms, syrups of cane juice, melada concentrated melada, concrete and concentrated molasses testing by the polariscope not above 75 degrees, 95 100 per pound and every additional degree shown in the polariscope test 35.1000 cent per pound additional and for fractions of a degree in proportion; and on sugar above Dutch standard in color and on all sugar which has gone through the process of refining, one cent and ninety-five hundredths of one cent per pound; molasses testing above forty degrees and not above fifty degrees, three cents per gallon; testing fifty-six degrees and above, six cents per gallon; sugar drainings and sugar sweepings shall be subject to duty as molasses or sugar as the case may be, according to polariscopic test. Provided that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to abrogate or in any manner impair or affect the provisions of the treaty of commercial reciprocity concluded between the United States and Hawaii on January 30, 1875, or the provisions of any act of Congress heretofore passed for the reception of the same.

The conference restored the House rate of 20 per cent on sugar cane. Saccharine is made one dollar and fifty cents per pound and ten per cent ad valorem.

The confectionery paragraph is changed to read as follows.

"Sugar candy and all confectionery not especially provided for in this act, valued at fifteen cents per pound or less,

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WAR IN THE AIR.

Russia Takes a Hand in the Trouble With the Turks.

A VERY THREATENING DEMAND

The Immediate Evacuation of Thessaly Is Now Ordered.

TROOPS ON THE FRONTIER.

All of the Powers Excepting Great Britain Will Join the Czar.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, July 19.—According to a special dispatch received here the Czar has telegraphed the Sultan demanding immediate evacuation of Thessaly and threatening that otherwise Russian troops will cross the Turkish frontier.

It is said here semi-officially, today that all the Powers except Great Britain have consented to this course.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 19.—The Ambassadors have informed the Porte that they wish a written declaration as to the intentions of the Turkish Government which have hitherto been communicated orally by Tewfik Pasha.

The Ambassadors have stated that if this is not forthcoming they will suspend the peace negotiations and refer the whole matter to their respective governments with a view to adopting coercive measures.

The terms of the Turkish Government as submitted to the Ambassadors by Tewfik Pasha on Saturday, not only proposed a change of frontier but fixed the amount of indemnity at four and a half million pounds, Turkish, and renewed the demand for abolition of the capitulations granted the Greeks subjects in the Ottoman Empire.

This is regarded as clear proof that the Ambassadors of the powers will be unable to effect any thing by mere diplomatic negotiations.

DEATH UNDER THE WHEELS.

Little Wilhelm Hansen Is Killed by a Cart.

Little Wilhelm Hansen, aged seven years, while playing on the reach under a sprinkling cart, fell under the wheels and was run over and instantly killed at noon today.

The driver was Mike O'Ryan.

The accident occurred on East Fifteenth street, near Twenty-third avenue.

The injured lad was taken to the office of Dr. Moutou, where efforts were made to prolong life, but without avail.

The Coroner was notified and took charge of the remains.

The unfortunate boy was the son of Hans Hansen, and lived at 1553 Twenty-fifth avenue.

SUGAR TAKES A WILD JUMP.

Great Excitement in the Stock Market Over the Tariff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—There was wild excitement in the sugar crowd on the Stock Exchange this afternoon as the result of the news from Washington concerning the tariff bill sugar schedule. Dealings were on an enormous scale and by leaps and bounds the stock rose to $1 44½, whence it fell back to $1 42½. In the general list also there was a burst of activity and buoyancy. Commission house purchases were large, the shorts covered heavily and values advanced in all the leading railways and other securities.

The week opened with a bullish feeling in the ascendancy, sugar being conspicuous with sensational features, consequent on the sugar schedule in the tariff bill.

Sugar opened with simultaneous sales of 2,500 shares at from $1.36 to $1.38. A rise to $1.39, a new high record quotation, quickly ensued, making an extreme improvement of 5¼ per cent over Saturday's close.

Trading in the specialties was on an enormous scale, blocks of 1,000 to 3,500 changing hands frequently. The general market developed considerable strength with purchases of standard shares stimulated by a higher range of London quotations.

The advance was retarded for a brief interval by a flood of realizing orders which depressed sugar to $1.37½ with a subsequent recovery to the top figure. The appearance of commission house orders in the low-priced shares soon steadied the market and caused moderate rate improvements generally.

Covering of shorts was quite a strengthening factor in the general speculation with the inquiry very marked for the high-priced industrials and leading railways.

The bond market shared in the general strength and established decided improvements in numerous issues on large dealings.

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WELBURN ON THE RACK

Evidence That He Stuffed His Monthly Pay Roll.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—Ex-Collector of Internal Revenue, O. M. Welburn, appeared before United States Commissioner Heacock today for preliminary examination upon the charge of embezzlement preferred against him by Special Agent Thrasher. The testimony proved to be unusually sensational and disclosed a state of affairs wholly unexpected by Welburn's friends.

It was shown by W. H. Dillard, the colored messenger, employed in Welburn's office, that at the instance of his employer he had signed the name of E. C. Aiken to the salary checks for each month from September last until March of this year. These signatures were modelled upon genuine signatures furnished by Welburn.

Chief Deputy Louis Loupe had subsequently acknowledged each signature under oath.

Aiken swore that he only received $25 per month for his services, although he was on the pay roll for $1,000 per annum; that he had not authorized any one to use his signature.

Owing to the illness of Loupe a continuance was granted until Tuesday next.

ENDED HIS LIFE WITH A SHOT GUN.

A San Jose Official Shoots Himself to Avoid Disgrace.

A Shortage in His Accounts the Motive for the Deed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 19.—J. E. Pruett shot and killed himself this morning under circumstances which tend to the belief that he committed suicide.

He was a native of California, 44 years old, and leaves a widow and two children. He told his family that he was going to clean his rifle and hunt in the mountains today. A few moments later a shot was heard, and his body was found on the floor of the cellar with the right side of the head blown off. The rifle lay near by, with only one exploded cartridge in it.

Pruett has been a deputy and collector for a number of years under Assessor Spitzer. He has made no settlement of this year's work, and his books are not in the office and have not yet been found. He told Spitzer that he would settle up this morning. Spitzer now says he owes the office, so far as known, $300 to $400, but his affairs are in such confusion that the facts cannot be ascertained until his books have been experted.

He was a member of the real estate firm of Swigert & Pruett, and widely known.

WRITING WANTED FOR EVIDENCE.

A Crafty Turn in the Now Noted Craven Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—When the trial of the Augus-Craven case was resumed before Judge Slack today, Mrs. Nettie Craven was requested by Attorney Wheeler to write certain words at his dictation in pencil upon the margin of a contract similar to that already in evidence; and then attempted to try the experiment again with a softer pencil and in a smaller hand; but the court sustained the objections of her counsel to this method of procedure, and she escaped this trying ordeal.

This crafty piece of evidence was secured for the purpose of rebutting Mrs. Craven's statement that she did not write the pencil words on the margin of the contract which Aitken refused to sign; and once admitted in evidence, it was promptly exhibited to the jurors together with the original contract.

MINERS ASK CONGRESS FOR PROTECTION

Mineral and Land Laws Should Be at Once Enforced on the Yukon.

BOUNDARIES IN DISPUTE.

Late Gold Discoveries May Affect the Silver Question.

MORE FABULOUS DETAILS.

Many Believe That the Mines Are Luckier Than They Acknowledge.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

The increasing number of gold seekers in the Yukon Basin, not only in the Clondyke region in British Columbia, but in Alaska also has impressed officials of the Government in Washington anew with the necessity of reinforcing the agencies of the Government in the latter. From Circle City, on the Yukon, during the last few months, have come the most urgent appeals and demans to have the mineral land laws of the United States extended over the surrounding region and it is probable that in his first annual message to Congress Secretary Bliss of the Interior Department will approve the recommendation of Commissioner Herrmann of the General Land office that this be done, and also that a fully equipped local land office be established at Circle City. Of course neither of the things can be done until after authority has been given by Congress. Among members of that body a strong indisposition has been manifested for the extension of the Powers and agencies of simple government over Alaska ever since acquisition of the territory thirty years ago.

POSSIBLE TROUBLE MAY ARISE WITH BRITAIN.

Gold Developments Revive the Old Question of National Boundaries.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the World from Washington says:

The possibility of serious international complications between the United States and Great Britain as the result of the recent gold discoveries in Alaska has become apparent to the State Department.

Senator Davis of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee has been requested to secure the immediate ratification of a treaty for determining the boundary line between Canada and Alaska in order to lessen the probable difficulty.

Chairman Davis has announced his intention of calling this treaty up for action at the next executive session of the Senate. There is said to be no objection and prompt ratification is expected.

ALASKA DEMANDS THE ATTENTION OF CONGRESS

Remarkable Conditions Said to Exist in the City of Guineau.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—In the course of a recent conversation, Representative Lacey of Iowa, who was chairman of the Committee on Public Lands in the last Congress, said:

"I suppose that one reason no legislation has been had to remove some of the anomalous conditions which exist in Alaska and because the Committee on Territories had its time fully occupied with other matters, and the Committee on Public Lands has not thought it expedient to take action in regard to land legislation there until after some further general legislation respecting the government of the Territory has been enacted. Our committee, however, did recommend the passing of a bill for the establishment of a land office at Juneau and the House passed it, but the Senate did not act on it.

Juneau is a town of several thousand inhabitants, some 3,000, I believe, and I am informed that it is a thriving place, containing a number of substantial brick buildings for business purposes, and so on, and that all the improvements stand on the public lands of the United States, the owners being simply squatters. I am also informed that there is no legal authority to levy and collect taxes, or for officials to receive and disburse such taxes if collected. Whenever money is needed for any public purpose, the hat is passed. I have always been averse to legislation providing full fledged territorial government for Alaska with a delegate to Congress and so on, but conditions there appear to have been changed rapidly during the last two or three years and it is possible the time has come when the subject ought to be dealt with by Congress."

It is not improbable that Major Lacey will visit Alaska after the adjournment of Congress and try by personal investigation and observation what legislation in regard to the public lands in that Territory would be expedient and wise, in order to meet existing conditions.

ALASKA'S GOLD MAY EFFECT SILVER PROBLEMS

Senator Allison Says He Does Not Think Enough Yellow Metal Exists.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Quite a number of statesmen were asked what will be the effect of the Alaskan gold discoveries on the silver question. Most of them were inclined to the belief that the possible production of the new gold country had been greatly exaggerated for the benefit of the transportation companies and local supply companies. Senator Allison, when asked about the situation said: "If the product of gold in Alaska is really enormous it would, of course, tend to approximate the value of gold and silver, but the output would have to be unprecedented to have much effect, for our output of gold is very large, you must remember."

Another authority said without hesitation that there could be possibly no effect upon the monetary situation unless the discoveries of gold were so stupendous as to take gold out of the list of precious metals.

He explained the situation by saying: "Speaking in round numbers, the gold product of the world from the discovery of America until now is about $8,000,000,000. The actual coinage of gold now amounts to about $4,000,000,000. There are $2,000,000,000 approximately used in the arts but obtainable for coinage purposes. Therefore it will be seen that there is about $6,000,000,000 worth of

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THE TAXES TOO HIGH

Supervisor Church Says That the Assessments Are Very Burdenson.

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ALAMEDA AND OAKLAND LINE.

Straightening Out the Assessment of the Oakland Gas Company.

The County Board of Equalization reassembled this morning at 10 o'clock. All the members were present.

The reading of the minutes of the session held last Saturday consumed an hour, the minutes, Clerk Jordan showing twenty-eight amendments to matter. The board with a great deal of the members of the [illegible] whom seemed anxious [illegible] notes recorded correctly. [illegible] work was done in a masterly manner and was commended by the [illegible].

After the minutes had been approved, the Supervisors assembled. The minutes of the last two meetings were approved. On motion of Supervisor Church the Board adjourned till tomorrow at 10 A. M.

The Board of Equalization then reassembled and the first matter considered was the application of the Oakland Water Company for a reduction of the assessment of its franchise to a dollar.

Mr. Roeth moved that the assessment be reduced to $1 and that the County Assessor be requested to notify the Assessor of San Francisco of the fact with the view of having the franchises assessed in that county where the principal place of business of the company is located. He said he wanted to have the same thing done in the case of the Oakland Water Company as was done in the case of the Contra Costa Water Company.

Supervisor Church said that there were four franchises and he moved an amendment that the franchises each be reduced to one dollar. He also moved that each application be considered separately.

Mr. Roeth [illegible] that that was contained in his motion, as his motion was the same as was used in the case of the Contra Costa Company, because on that motion there were three applications and in the discussion under the session, there were four. He declared that the minutes would show that such was the case.

The minutes were referred to and the chair declared that the word "[illegible]" did not appear in the record of the case.

CONTRA COSTA AGAIN.

Mr. Church then moved that the vote on the Contra Costa case be reconsidered. He temporarily withdrew the motion and the amendment suggested by him to Roeth's motion as regards separate votes on all the applications of the Oakland Water Company was put and carried. The original motion as amended was carried, whereupon on motion of Mr. Roeth, the application of the Contra Costa Water Company was reconsidered separately and restored to the assessment roll, subject to the suggestion of Mr. Roeth and was referred to the Assessor of San Francisco for assessment there.

The same action was taken with respect to each of the applications of the Oakland Water Company.

ALAMEDA AND OAKLAND ROADS.

Consideration of the Alameda and Oakland Street Railway applications were resumed. Superintendent Fisher took the stand. The road he said was operated as a steam road. Certain franchises had to be [illegible] owing to stipulations in the franchises. Two of the branches, High street and San Jose avenue, had run to land. The amount of the deficit he did not know, but could find out by looking at the books. The main line was operated under nine franchises.

Mr. Roeth moved that the figures of the two branches in question be produced by Mr. Fisher by 2 o'clock this afternoon and that the case go over till that time.

The motion was not seconded.

Mr. Fisher then reported a part of the test many which he had given Saturday as regards the paying of interest on the bonds by the earnings and the assessments of the stockholders.

Mr. Fisher said that the line in Alameda was installed by steam trains, which carried people free and that that kind of accommodation greatly interfered with the receipts of his company.

WELLS' RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells:

"The State Board of Equalization having raised the county of Alameda 5 per cent on the assessed valuation for 1896 and the author of this resolution believing that it will again raise the county to 15 per cent for the year 1897, and believing it to be an act of justice to the residents and taxpayers of this district, who he believes are now paying more than their just proportion of the taxes of this county now offers the following:

"Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county sitting and acting as a Board of Equalization having duly considered the matter of the assessment of property in the townships of Washington and Murray hereby orders and directs that the assessed valuation of property in said two townships be reduced 15 per cent for the year 1897 excepting only such property as has already been reduced upon personal application to this Board."

Mr. Wells said he would like to have the resolution referred to the District Attorney for an immediate opinion.

The request was complied with and Mr. Snook gave an opinion that no reduction of the assessment could be granted unless upon application and evidence in support of the same were filed and advanced.

On motion of Supervisor Mitchell the resolution of Mr. Wells was tabled.

Supervisor Wells said he had introduced the resolution because he knew that there were hundreds of farmers in his vicinity who were not able to come here to make an application and remain around a couple of days in order to have it acted upon. He knew of hundreds of them who were compelled to sell chickens, cows and horses in order to pay their taxes when they come due. He had introduced the resolution, knowing that the State Board of Equalization would increase the assessment and he did not want to have the farmers pay a heavy assessment and then pay an advance upon the amount.

Supervisor Church said that he concurred in the resolution which had been introduced by Mr. Wells because there was no place in the county which needed a reduction so much as the farmers of which were in such poor condition as the farmers of Murray and Washington Townships. He knew it from experience.

Mr. Roeth renewed his motion that Mr. Fisher produce the figures in the case of the San Jose and High street electric lines in Alameda and the matter was continued until this afternoon.

ALAMEDA WATER COMPANY.

The application of the Alameda Water Company then came up. The company was represented by Dr. Wellendorf, the superintendent, Theodore Wagner, the local attorney at Berkeley, and E. W. McGraw, the general attorney. The application was a most detailed one, showing a large number of miles of water mains of all sizes, reservoirs, realty and structures of various kinds.

Dr. Wellendorf said that pipes had been down in the ground for many years. They had corroded and had become almost worthless. They were not worth half of what they were when they were new and it would not pay to dig them up. The realty owned by the company was mainly hill property and of little use for any purpose save that to which it was being devoted. A large reservoir belonging to the company was in Contra Costa county. Mr. Fenton asked if there was any person present representing the company who could tell what is the value of the reservoir across the county line. None of the gentlemen referred to could answer the question.

The Perryman reservoir, which holds 20,000,000 gallons of water, was assessed at $3,000. The summit reservoir had a capacity of 13,000,000 gallons, and was assessed at the smaller figure.

Mr. Church, in the chair, wanted to know if the Supervisors were satisfied that the principal place of business of the company was in San Francisco.

Mr. Roeth said that the articles of incorporation showed that such was the case.

At the request of Mr. Dalton, Attorney McGrew said he would telegraph to the Assessor from San Francisco the cost of all the reservoirs owned by the company.

The matter was then continued.

The total amount of the company's assessments is $196,675, and the company's valuation is $123,636.

THE GAS MATTER.

The Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company then came up.

Mr. Dalton testified that certain property of the company had escaped assessment.

The following, signed by John A. Britton, was then read by Clerk Jordan: "The Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company, by its duly authorized secretary, hereby waives notice of an application to assess certain property that has escaped taxation, as appears upon the application filed by the Board of Equalization by Henry P. Dalton as Assessor of Alameda county, on the 17th day of July, 1897."

A resolution was then adopted authorizing the Assessor to make the corrections with respect to the failure to assess.

The application of Leopold Lasser was called up. Lasser appears to be suffering from an affliction of the eyes. He owns the old Dalger home, which was assessed at $1,000.

After the applicant had set forth his case Supervisor Church moved that the reduction be granted and stated that the man was afflicted as was apparent and that the reduction ought to be made. He felt that way out of sympathy for the applicant.

Supervisor Roeth said that if they were sitting as a Board of Equalization they should act as a Board of Equalization. If they were sitting as a Board of Reduction they should reduce assessments and sit as a Board of Reduction. He did believe that these matters should be disposed of by sympathy but on the contrary how many other persons were there who were unable to pay their taxes for other reasons than those applicable to the applicant.

Mr. Church then said that he stood ready to reduce assessment of the taxpayers of the county on their applications because the assessments are too high.

Mr. Mitchell moved to reduce the assessment from $1,000 to $600 and the motion prevailed, Roeth and Wells voting in the negative.

A recess till 1 o'clock was then ordered.

This Afternoon

The Board reassembled at 1 P. M.

J. A. Buz of Pleasanton asked for the reduction of his assessment from $3,175 to $1,000. It was shown that Buz property fronts on two streets.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the application be denied. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Church.

Mr. Wells moved to amend by reducing the amount to $2,500.

The motion as amended prevailed.

Superintendent Fisher of the Alameda & Oakland Electric Line then gave the receipts and expenditures of the High Street San Jose Avenue branch lines in Alameda, as asked for before the noon recess. The showing was as follows: High street line, receipts, $3,375, expenditures, $3,723, deficit, $348; San Jose Avenue receipts, $7,374, expenditures $7,461, deficit $87.

Mr. Church then moved that the assessment on the main line through Oakland be reduced from $42,150 to $10,000. Mitchell seconded the motion. Roeth compared the assessment and showed that while this road was over four miles in length, the assessment of the Telegraph Avenue line, which was only about half the length was of about the same figure. He said that the request be denied. Church's motion prevailed, Church, Talcott and Mitchell voting in the affirmative and Roeth and Wells in the negative.

The assessment on the franchise from Webster street bridge to Seventh street was reduced from $7,500 to $2,500 by the same vote.

The assessment for a part of the Park avenue track was reduced to $1,000 from $2,500 by the same vote.

The assessment on the franchise running from the Southern Pacific Railroad through Oakland was reduced to $12,000 from $25,000 by the same vote.

The assessment on the franchise across Webster street bridge, at $1,000 was sustained unanimously.

The assessment on the road from the middle of Webster street bridge through Alameda at $33,750 was denied, the company's valuation being $17,965. Two votes were in the affirmative.

The assessment on the loop was reduced from $12,350 to $10,000 by the votes of Messrs. Church, Mitchell and Talcott.

The assessment of the track on High street, was reduced from $1,000 to $600 by the same vote.

The main line franchise was reduced from $25,000 to $18,000 by the same vote.

The franchise from Park street to the city line of Oakland was reduced from $5,000 to $3,000, by the same vote.

The High street loop franchise was reduced from $5,000 to $2,000 by the same vote of three to two.

The assessment or a line on San Jose avenue of $7,650 was allowed to stand.

An unused track in Alameda had the assessment reduced from $1,000 to $500 by the votes of Church, Talcott and Mitchell.

The franchise on the same was reduced to $500 from $1,500.

On cars, machinery, etc., the reduction was from $38,505 to $35,000 by the same vote.

The total assessed valuation of the Company was $214,750. The assessment as equalized was $167,850.

THE GAS COMPANY.

John A. Britton was allowed to make application, out of order, for a reduction of two franchises, one for gas and the other for electric lighting, by the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co. He wanted the gas franchise reduced from $25,000 to $10,000.

ALAMEDA WATER COMPANY.

Mr. Church moved that the application of the Alameda Water Company be denied save as to its franchise and that he placed at $1.

Mr. Roeth moved to amend by reducing the assessment on the Garber reservoir from $25,000 to $10,000.

Mr. Church's motion prevailed, all save Roeth voting in the affirmative.

HIGHLAND PARK ROAD.

Receiver Rudolph of the Highland Park and Fruitvale road made a plea for a reduction of the assessment. He said that the road is in the hands of a receiver and that he had had it only four months.

Finding an inquiry into some franchises of the road, another road was taken up.

Saturday Afternoon.

After the report of The Tribune on Saturday afternoon last, of the County Board of Equalization had closed, the assessment of the Southern Pacific Company and that of associate corporations was taken up.

The first feature was the tract of land at Oakland Point, comprising thirty-eight acres, assessed at $316,200. The company asked to have the assessment reduced to $17,500. The motion was denied by the votes of Messrs. Mitchell, Talcott, Roeth and Wells in the affirmative and Church in the negative.

A motion to reject the request was made by Mr. Roeth.

Supervisor Church said that Roeth had been croaking around about equalizing property assessments and now he wanted to have an assessment of $6,500 per acre fixed upon property when the surrounding land was not assessed for half that amount.

Roeth said, by way of reports, that the land in question was valuable because of the place in which it was located and that only a few days before the Supervisors had refused to reduce the assessment on neighboring property which had been assessed to the San Francisco Savings Union at about the same figure as that of the yards in question.

The reduction of the assessment from $721,225 to $65,000 on 419 89-100 acres of marsh lands owned by the Pacific Improvement Company was denied by the following vote:

Ayes—Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Talcott.
Nays—Church.

WATER FRONT COMPANY.

The reduction of the assessment on a tract of marsh owned by the Oakland Water Front Company, from $129,000 to $65,000, was then considered. The company in question as also the Pacific Improvement Company and a number of other people have an undivided interest in the property. Mr. Roeth referred to this fact as also to the fact that the others interested were assessed in the same amount as the companies mentioned. He moved therefore, that the request be denied.

Supervisor Church said he believed the assessment unjust and he did not believe in assessing some people unjustly simply because other people saw fit not to make a kick.

Superintendent Roeth said that they already had something of a kick before them. It was said that of Mr. Borden who had appeared for the Artesian Water Company and who had said that his company also had an interest in the land and that he was satisfied with the assessment unless the amount on other holdings should be decreased in which event he would like to be remembered in the matter.

The motion to deny was sustained by the following vote:

Ayes—Mitchell, Roeth, Wells.
Nays—Church, Talcott.

Superintendent Church then wanted to learn from Assessor Dalton whether the property in question were the property of the Oakland Water Front Company, which was in contention and had caused so much litigation.

Mr. Dalton at first did not understand the allusion.

Then Supervisor Church asked if the property of the Oakland Water Front Company was on the assessment roll.

Mr. Dalton said that it was not on the roll.

Supervisor Church wanted to know why it was not on the roll.

Mr. Dalton replied that it was not on the assessment roll because the courts thus far had decided that the property in question belonged to the City of Oakland.

Supervisor Church asked if the Supreme Court had decided in that way.

Mr. Dalton said the Supreme Court had not as yet decided the case but that the matter had been brought up before it and that it had been argued, and that it was still before the Court.

Supervisor Church then remarked that the Supreme Court was the highest tribunal and that it had not so far given a decision in the case.

Mr. Dalton replied that all the decisions thus far had been in favor of the city.

The assessment of the yards of the Narrow Gauge at Alameda Point was reduced to $10,000 on motion of Supervisor Mitchell, who was supported by Church and Talcott. The Assessor's figures were $18,000 and the company's figures were $1,800. This represented a raise over the company's figures of $8,800.

On the Broad Gauge ferry depot, a reduction from $150,000 to $85,000 had been asked, and on the improvements at the end of Long Wharf from $5,000 to $1,000. The figures which stood were $115,000 for the depot and $12,000 for the improvements at Long Wharf, by the votes of Messrs. Church, Mitchell and Talcott.

The assessment of $3,500 against the horse freight and passenger road from Newark to Centerville, was not changed.

There was a unanimous vote in favor of reducing the assessment on the Narrow Gauge ferry depot from $45,000 to $25,000 for the reason that it was shown that the building would soon have to be replaced.

STREET CAR LINES.

The request to reduce the assessment on the Telegraph Avenue electric line from $40,950 to $11,500 was denied.

The assessment on the San Pablo Cable Line was reduced from $72,225 to $27,000 on the showing that the road was soon to be replaced by an electric service. There was a reduction in the value of the franchise from $71,000 to $50,000.

In connection with the discussion of the assessments of the two street lines mentioned was read a letter from F. S. Douty, the secretary and treasurer of the Oakland Railroad Company to the effect that the net earnings of that Company comprising the San Pablo and Telegraph avenues were for 1896, $130,315.55 and the expenses were $133,385.18, showing a deficit of $3,07 ,63.

Reference was then made to the fact of an omission on the rolls regarding the Oakland Gas Light & Heat Company. Mr. Britton, the Superintendent said he did not desire to take any advantage of it and waived the five days required and the District Attorney was instructed to bring in a resolution on the subject at the meeting which was announced for today.

OAKLAND WATER COMPANY.

W. J. Dingee, president of the Oakland Water Company then appeared and was accompanied by Judge Frick as counsel. Mr. Dingee was sworn and in answer to questions by his attorney said that the original articles of incorporation of the Oakland Water Company had never been amended. The articles in question were produced. Mr. Dingee's attention was directed to the third article which was to effect that the principal place of business of the company was in San Francisco.

Supervisor Roeth addressing Mr. Dingee, said that it seemed that all the big corporations were moving to San Francisco and he asked if there was any reason why they should move there.

Supervisor Mitchell said that they might move back.

Mr. Dingee said there was no particular reason why they should move there.

Mr. Wells said that the question was the same as that disposed of in connection with the Contra Costa Water Company's franchise and he suggested that similar action be taken in this instance and that the Assessor of San Francisco be notified that the property of the Company is assessable in that county. He then remarked that he was sorry that a company which derived all its revenue from Alameda County should pay its taxes in San Francisco.

Supervisor Church said that he was sorry also.

Supervisor Talcott amended to the effect that the documents on the subject, which were of legal character should be submitted to the District Attorney and the matter was continued with that end in view until today.

THE ALAMEDA LINE.

Then the request of the Alameda & Oakland Electric line came up for consideration.

Superintendent Fisher took the stand and testified that the estimate placed on the value of the road was based on the worth of the material in the road bed. "The condition of the road," he said, "is fair. The road has been in use about three years. It is mostly double track. One fifth is single track. In the first item, there are about 4½ miles, three-quarters of a mile of which is single track. The poles are of iron, with the exception of a few. There are 81 poles to a mile. Poles are estimated at $15 a piece. They are in fair condition. The rails are of forty-pound compound. They are a light rail. The wire for a single track with fittings costs about $330 a mile. The price of wire per pound is ten cents. There are 1,635 pounds of wire to a mile of single track. The road was assessed the same last year as it is this year. The cost of a double mile of track is figured at $15,000; of a single track, a little more than half that sum. The road is wearing out. I have no idea of the amount that had been expended in repairs. The road has depreciated 15 per cent in the past three years. It takes money to keep the road in good repair. I don't think the road is in a first-class condition. There are $287,000 in bonds, drawing 6 per cent interest. The road last year, fell a little short of paying operating expenses. The assessment was about $314,000. No extensive repairs have been made lately. All that is being done is simply to keep the road in operation. If the road were put into first-class condition, all the crossings would have to be replaced and the old switches removed. I can not tell whether needed repairs have been neglected in order to enable the payment of the interest on the bonds."

As regards the franchise, Mr. Fisher said that he based his idea that the franchise was worth $2,500 because of earnings of the road. The gross earnings of the road were about $100,000, and the operating expenses were between $83,000 and $ 4,000. The exact value of a franchise could not be determined, but he thought that $25,000 was nearer to the value than $7,500, the amount of the assessment.

The Board then adjourned until this morning.

THE CHANGES MADE IN RAILROAD ASSESSMENTS

The following table shows the changes made by the Board of Equalization in the assessment of railroad property:

PROPERTY.	Assessed 1897.	Reduction asked.	Granted.
Central Pacific Railroad—			
146 acres tide lands	$ 18,000	$ 1,800	$ 900
Ferry depot broad gauge mole	150,000	85,000	115,000
Improvements long wharf	16,000	7,000	12,000
38 acres, Oak and Point	277,250	171,000	277,250
Improvements	38,950	26,000	38,950
2½ miles railroad and rolling stock	715,000		
40 miles side tracks	60,000		
Franchise	250,000	0	10
3,000 feet long wharf	250,000		
Northern Railroad—			
2 30-100 miles, Berkeley	62,500		
Franchise	50,000	5	5
Oakland Railroad Co.—			
2 4-10 Electric R. R., Tel. and Humboldt	43,350	15,350	43,350
Franchise	9,000	2,000	2,500
38-100 miles cable, San Pablo franchise	6,000	1,000	6,000
2 9-100 electric railway, water front	40,950	11,000	40,950
Broadway and to N line city franchise	71,000	10,000	10,000
2 35-100 miles cable road, N line of city, and franchise	83,225	47,000	47,000
1 14-100 electric road, Humboldt ave., through Berkeley	15,700	5,000	2,500
23-100 mile additional	2,525	1,000	2,525
Franchise	6,000	1,000	1,000
35-100 cable road San Pablo and Park	11,750	3,000	3,500
South Pacific Coast Railroad—			
2½ miles horse car line Newark and Centerville	2,500	50	2,500
Real estate	1,000	600	1,000
Improvements narrow gauge mole	45,000	25,000	25,000
Northern Railroad Co.—			
1 30-100 miles, Shell Mound to Berkeley	40,000		
Franchise	25,000	5	5
	30,750		
	19,250		
Oakland Water Front Co.—			
420 27-100 acres marsh	129,100	65,000	129,100
Pacific Improvement Co.—			
449 89-100 acres marsh	134,225	65,000	134,225
Southern Pacific Railroad—			
½ mile gravel pit Niles	300		
¼ mile wine cellar, Irvington	100	5	5
Side tracks at Newark	1,500		
Totals	$2,075,075	$741,150	$1,047,125

ORDERED TO HALT

Five Hundred Striking Miners Stopped by Armed Men.

THEY OBEY THE COMMAND.

The Men Are Encamped Within a Short Distance of the Guards.

VIRGINIA WORKERS GO OUT.

Agitators Are Stirring the Men Up to Make a Stand.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CANONSBURG, Pa., July 19.—About 500 striking miners from the Miller's Run district passed through town today headed by a brass band and drum corps. A halt was made at the mines of the Canonsburg Coal Company, where they were met by armed deputies and ordered to keep off the company's property.

They halted in a vacant lot near by and sent committees over to the mines to gather together the miners. The mines of this company closed down today to await the decision of the miners employed there. There are a few inclined to strike, but there is no prospect of a general strike.

After holding a meeting here the strikers moved up the valley to the mines of Cook & Sons, where they were met by deputies heavily armed, and were ordered to keep off the company's property. The mines there also closed down to let the men meet the strikers and decide whether or not to strike.

The mine owners are paying 69 cents and say the men have no reason for striking, except out of fear of violence. They will resume as soon as the men are ready to go in.

The striking miners are camped about the Cook mines. No fear of violence is felt here.

THREATEN TO BREAK THE STRIKE UP.

Operators Are Prepared to Put the Men to Work Again.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 19.—Unless the miner's leaders are able to get the West Virginia diggers out early this week, the local strike situation promises to grow very interesting about the last of this week and to come to a crisis next Monday morning.

As indicated in the Associated Press dispatches last night, several of the local operators have announced that they are tired seeing their contracts get away from them and that the mines now supplying their trade must be stopped on their own mines will be put into operation. The district executive board of the miners has been notified as above by a score of most important operators.

All depends on Pittsburg, and unless Pittsburg is able to shut down the West Virginia mines, it is probable that the strike will be broken before there is a chance to complete the arbitration uniformity arrangement. The miners admit that should any of the big mines of the district, now idle, be put into operation a majority of the other diggers of the district would return to work at once.

The Pittsburg operators have lost part of their very best shipping season and it has been necessary to turn their contracts over to operators in West Virginia and in the central Pennsylvania fields to be worked until the strike is over.

The prospects of a long strike and the possibility of it lasting until their contracts have all been filled, stirred the operators to action. They propose to get together and start one or two of the important mines in case the West Virginia expedition of the labor agitations is unsuccessful.

They are to unite in an effort to get enough men to man one or two of the big mines, get a large force of deputies and begin turning out coal for the lakes.

Part of the plan is to pay the miners 70 or even 75 cents, if necessary, to get them to work. It is not thought there will be much difficulty in getting men at that price and that after one or two mines have been gotten under way there will be no trouble in other mine owners getting started at that figure.

If the West Virginia men are still at work Wednesday agents of the local companies will go on a skirmish for men. At the same time application is to be made to the sheriff for a large force of deputies. Sheriff Lowry has a large number of men ready to be sworn in on short notice.

The miners' officials are banking everything on the ability of the labor organizers to get the West Virginians out. They say that in case the operators do try to transfer the fight to this district, all the forces now at work in West Virginia will be brought into this State and put to work.

FARMER BOYS OPERATE MINES.

A Novel Scheme to Supply Coal Is Now in Rogue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 19.—The executive Committee of the United Mine Workers is in session here. Those present are J. M. Carson of Illinois, Joseph H. Kennedy and G. Knight of Indiana, W. E. Farms of Ohio and Patrick Dolan of Pittsburg. Other members may come later. The consultation is private.

Secretary Pearce says there is no doubt the Fairmount region will be out by Thursday.

John Bogue of Ansted, W. Va., on the Chesapeake and Ohio Road, says the only thing that keeps the mines there open is the fact that the operators have been in the habit of giving a miner control of four or five rooms with liberty to employ his help.

He employs farmers' sons, making a good profit off their labor, and when mining is dull the boys go back to the farms.

VIRGINIA WORKERS JOIN THE STRIKE.

Several Hundred Miners Are Forced to Walk Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., July 19.—As a result of yesterday's meeting at Tree Grove, 225 miners refused to work this morning. The drivers, being in sympathy with the miners, refused to haul and consequently the rest of the miners who had gone to work were compelled to come out.

About sixty miners at Pritchard after hearing the news came out and the rest will follow.

Hutchinson, Luther and Palatine were the next to come and all the men with the exception of those at Hite and the Shaft mine will soon be out.

Eugene V. Debs arrived here this morning and will hold a meeting at Monogah at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Operators here are surprised at the result of yesterday's meeting and great excitement prevails.

WILL NOT HIRE OUTSIDE HELP.

Old Employees Can Go Back to Work Whenever Ready.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLEVELAND July 19.—From a statement made this morning by Receiver Myron T. Herrick, the inference is drawn that Superintendent Roby of the Dillonvale Mine spoke without authority when he informed the strikers that their places would be filled with new men if they did not go to work by Monday morning.

"We do not intend to put in new men just at present," said Colonel Herrick, "if any of our old men want to go to work we will protect them. Our men, the majority of them, at least, were perfectly satisfied with their condition and did not want to strike, but were persuaded into doing so by outsiders."

THE TARIFF BILL GOES TO CONGRESS.

(Continued from page 1.)

and on sugars after being refined when tinctured, colored or in any way adulterated, four cents per pound and fifteen per cent ad valorem, valued at more than fifteen cents per pound, fifty per cent ad valorem. The weight and the value of the immediate coverings, other than the outer packing case or other covering, shall be included in the dutiable weight and the value of the merchandise."

DEMOCRATS SCHEMING TO BEAT THE BILL.

A Majority of One May Be Secured in the Senate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Senate after assembling went into executive session for over two hours and on reopening the doors, the conference report on the general deficiency bill was agreed to.

The Harris resolution in regard to the Union Pacific railway was taken up and Mr. Morgan (Dem., Ala.) continued his speech on the subject. He read a letter from a correspondent saying that in the manipulations of the stock the large shareholders have been protected while smaller holders had been frozen out. This was about to be done again.

He hoped the President would defer action in order to enable Congress to look into the matter.

Mr. Harris (Kansas) hoped a vote would soon be had.

Mr. Thurston gave notice of his intention to discuss the subject in the future.

Mr. Stephen (Nev.) then took the floor.

Some of the opponents of the tariff bill made a hasty canvass of the Senate during the executive session of the Senate today and expressed the opinion that it was impossible to defeat the conference report by one majority, if a Senator is appointed to the Tennessee vacancy.

To secure this, however, all the Democrats, including McEnery, who voted for the bill, all those who refused to vote either way, including Stewart and Mantle, and Silver Republicans who voted for the bill will be necessary, so that the prospects are against the success of such a move.

REPUBLICANS CALL IN DEMOCRATS.

The Conference Members Urge That Matters Be Speedily Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON July 16.—The Republican members of the Tariff Conference Committee called in the Democratic members at one o'clock this morning. Among the Democrats there was a disposition to allow Republicans to have their own way and make a report at once so that debate in the lower branch of Congress could proceed this afternoon.

Before the full committee met the Republican members held an hour's consultation at which they affirmed their signatures to the conference report.

When the bill was submitted to the Democrats, the Republicans said they would report their bill today.

The Democrats were given an opportunity to sign the conference report and withdraw for consultation among themselvesselves as to whether or not they would sign.

Will Be Operative at Once.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The new tariff bill is to become operative immediately on its being signed by the President.

ENGLAND FEARS THE UNITED STATES.

Sir Charles Dilke Says the Relations Are a Grave Question.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, July 19.—In the House of Commons today in the course of the debate on the foreign office vote, Sir Charles Dilke, Radical, said: "The gravest foreign question at the present moment, grows out of our relations with the United States and if the matter is not dwelt upon it is because the Government is conscious that in these difficult matters, it cannot count upon the support of the entire House."

A BIG FIELD FIRE.

Thousands of Acres of Grain in Danger Near Red Bluff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RED BLUFF, Cal., July 19.—It was thought this morning that the brush fire was under control but news has just reached here that it has broken out anew, has crossed Reed's Creek and is raging west and south at a rapid rate.

As there are large wheat farms in that part of the country, great fears are entertained that the damage will be immense as the fire will sweep the entire western portion of the county.

It is now almost certain that its origin was incendiary and officers are on the track of the perpetrators.

Sweden's Tariff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHRISTIANA, July 19.—The Customs Committee of the Storthing has adopted a report proposing the introduction of differential tariff duties, and a report proposing duties on several agricultural products and giving greater protection to small manufacturing interests.

Transfer of Property.

A deed has been filed with the County Recorder by which Mrs. Sarah J. Taylor, H. M. Taylor, Bertha L. Foote and W. W. Foote transfer certain lots in Berkeley and Temescal to W. H. Taylor. The consideration is $7,[illegible]. It is understood that Taylor represents a real estate syndicate. Forty-two lots are transferred.

Tonight's Council Meeting.

The milk ordinance will come up for final passage at the Council meeting tonight.

The Council will meet first as a Board of Equalization but will adjourn to meet in two weeks.

Auditor Snow has not yet turned the city books over to the Board and will probably not be able to do so until the annexation question is settled.

Mr. Snow will not assess the annexed district till he is mandamused to do so.

The Mother Lost.

Letters of guardianship were this morning granted to Mrs. Lucy S. Holmes for the custody of little Hattie Bernice Simpson. The child's mother has made a hard fight to retain her child. He opponent has been her sister Mrs. Holmes. Three witnesses were examined this morning before Judge Ogden. All testifying to the good character of Mrs. Holmes.

A Demurrer Entered.

The case of the East Oakland Railroad Company against City Treasurer Gilpin to restrain the latter from selling the company's property for taxes was called this morning in Judge Ellsworth's court. The case was continued until 3 P. M. this afternoon. The case came up on Gilpin's demurrer.

The Bacon Case Again.

Tomorrow morning has been set by Judge Ellsworth as the day for the hearing of the case of Bacon vs. Bacon. Some sensational details are expected when Mrs. Frank Bacon of Alameda is placed on the stand and tells how her husband has failed to maintain her.

Teachers' Warrants.

City teachers can now obtain their salary warrants for June at County Superintendent Gatrick's office.

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DIED.

McBRIDE—In this city, July 17, 1897, John Howard McBride, aged 34 years, 10 months and 7 days.

GANNON—In this city, July 17, 1897, John H. Gannon, a native of Ireland, aged 41 years.

KOSTER—At the County Infirmary, July 18th, Herman Koster, a native of Germany, aged 42 years.

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PICNICS AT SHELL MOUND PARK.
July 21st—Royal Lady Social Club.
July 25th—Society Dames of San Francisco and Oakland until 12 P. M.

UNION LABEL

MONDAY.....JULY 18, 1897.

The Clondyke diggings have been appropriately named "The Land of the Golden Fleece," judging by the list of prices charged for the necessaries of life.

The residents of Dawson City say they are anxious to have all kinds of business established there. Wonder what kind of patronage and ice cream saloon would get.

Brazil's fanatical Messiah evidently deals in futures only. His creed certainly cannot permit the reviewing of past records, in view of the fact that he murdered both his wife and mother.

The direct importation of fruit and produce into Oakland is proving a great success. Our merchants are at last waking up to the fact that by utilizing our harbor facilities they can not only make more money but get a better grip on the home trade.

The carbolic acid suicide craze is on an astonishing increase. It is hard to fathom why so many choose such a horrible and agonizing way to meet death when there are so many other pleasanter methods of "crossing the river."

Creede's riches seem destined to go the route followed by the estates of all millionaires who die in California. The lawyers have succeeded in starting a fight and by the time they have plucked the goose there will be little left but pin feathers for the original heirs.

The British millionaire, who recently announced on his arrival in New York that he had come to America to search for a bride, he said to have received 1,000 letters from Chicago alone. Most of them have forwarded photographs—not full length ones, of course, on account of their feet.

If the Prison Directors really desire to gratify Durrant's desires to be photographed by the animatoscope, why not postpone the event until the occasion of his hanging. The views taken that day would be as great an attraction as those now being exhibited of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill.

New York is sneering at Chicago again and calling it a wild Western city. This has all been occasioned by the fact that during the recent insufferable hot spell a large number of the male Chicagoans went about town in their shirt sleeves. This has shocked the refined residents of the home for Tammany.

The Southern Pacific is evidently determined to make this a notable year in its history. In addition to safely transporting an army of 10,000 delegates to and from the coast, its engineers have twice broken in one week all the records between San Francisco and Ogden. This speaks well for the condition of the road-bed.

Cleveland can be President again if he wants to be. This statement need not startle politicians, because it has no reference to sphere. Grover is to be tendered the presidency of the University of Virginia. Ever since he got that degree of LL. D. he has been going to the front in educational circles as easily as if he deserved it.

THE BIG STRIKE IN THE EAST.

The strike of the coal miners has brought to the public attention some important facts as to the effect of the Wilson tariff law upon this industry. The Wilson law reduced the rates of duty on coal 35 cents per ton, it having been 75 cents per ton under the McKinley law and it dropped to 40 cents per ton under the Wilson law. Curiously, though, President Ratchford of the United Mine Workers' Association states that the wages of miners have been reduced about 55 cents per ton since 1893, the very year in which the free-trade Congress met and began framing the Wilson act, which reduced duties 35 cents per ton.

The moment the Wilson law passed coal from the Nova Scotia mines began invading the markets on the Atlantic coast, especially New England, and drove out of those markets the Virginia coal, which had always found an outlet at fair prices. The West Virginia coal was thus compelled to seek a market in competition with the coals of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky. The result was a sharp competition, a fall in prices, a ruinous rate war, not only between mine owners, but also between the railroads, and as a consequence a reduction in the wages of miners.

Thus the very low wages of the coal miners of the country who are now striking for an advance are directly and logically traceable to the operations of the Wilson law. The pending bill restores the McKinley rates on coal, and after it gets into operation will, it is hoped, result in improved conditions and wages for miners as well as others.

A FOOLISH POLICY.

Some of the coast counties, notably San Luis and Santa Barbara, are trying to establish the English preserve system. They have passed ordinances prohibiting the shipment of game out of their respective counties, the point advanced being that it will keep the game for home consumption. "This is a blow," says the Santa Barbara Independent, "to the market hunters of San Francisco, who send agents into the hills of Santa Barbara county and kill off quail and ducks in large numbers. Other counties have similar ordinances with good results."

A more absurd policy can scarcely be conceived. There is no hunting possible in San Francisco county, and it must have game for table consumption, and is willing to pay for it, and pay liberally. The counties that are passing these restrictive ordinances, therefore, are keeping money out of their own pockets and diverting it to their neighbors, for it is not probable that the plan they have adopted will become general. That the movement is receiving considerable local opposition, too, is evidenced by the following editorial in the San Luis Obispo Tribune:

"The new game ordinance prohibiting shipment out of the county, does not meet with hearty endorsement in every section of the county. In the San Jose valley, more particularly around Lozo, there are quite a number who assert that the new ordinance does them a great injustice. They claim that in the past, as a means of livelihood, they have followed the hunting of game for shipment to San Francisco. There is any abundance of game in that section and it is to the interest of the farmer to have it killed. The sportsmen in that section are disposed to present petitions asking the repeal of the ordinance."

The editor of the El Dorado Republican has conceived a novel way of getting all the news of the community for a mere song. He offers $5 weekly for the person who sends in the best five items of actual news events occurring during the current week, the editor having the privilege of publishing the non-prize winners as well as the successful ones. In this way the whole country is not only secured for news, but his paper is in demand by those who want to see if their effusions are printed, and consequently its advertising value increases. And all for $5 a week.

Japan might as well quit trying to bluff America about Hawaii. If the islanders really intend to attempt what they have hinted at in the protest forwarded to our Secretary of State they will ere long find themselves set back into a deeper oblivion than the one from which they have already emerged. And if Spain wants to join hands with them, well and good—while we have our war-paint on we may as well kill two birds with one stone and gather in both Cuba and Hawaii.

Professor Andree, who has just started in his balloon for the North Pole, sent a telegram as he was about to embark conveying his "warmest greetings" to his country and friends. Anything of the advanced temperature he alludes to he had better take with him, as he will need it all in the frozen zone.

The Berkeley papers are making merry over the following item: "The fire on the hills drove the mosquitos in swarms into Greater Oakland." The hilarity looks ill-timed, for on the face of it the item shows that Berkeley is the abiding place of the sleep-destroying pests.

The special days at the Exposition are giving the outside districts excellent opportunities to assert themselves. The annual fair has at last broadened out into the scope originally intended—it is no longer a local affair, but one thoroughly representative of the entire county.

Regarding the certain advance of wheat, Dun & Co. says: "Europe is expected to have to import 100,000,000 more bushels than last year and neither India, Australia nor Argentine is expected to be able to supply its usual share."

The Contra Costa News has been distinguishing itself by issuing a souvenir number illustrative of the resources of that county. It was a very neat and well-edited production, and does credit to the leading journal of our sister county.

North Berkeley is determined to get street car accommodations. If the overtures being made to the present companies fail a bonus is to be offered to induce local capital to undertake the enterprise.

THE POET'S CORNER.

The King and the Queen.

The King was in the counting house,
Counting out his money,
The Queen was in the parlor,
Eating bread and honey.
Oh, why could not his majesty
Have graciously bestowed a
Nickel on her majesty
To buy an ice cream soda?

—Detroit Journal.

A Gigantic Paradox.—

Oh, what a helpless lot we are
In this old world of woe!
It is the very worst by far
That we can ever know.
I'm mourns because those plans of his
Are made to cloth a hat,
His failure to reform life is
The other people's fault.

There never was a mortal yet
Who didn't say he had
Emotions of intense regret
Because this world is bad.
But somehow man can find no way
Its standard to exalt,
The individuals all say:
"It's other people's fault!"

—Washington Star.

My Favorite.—

I did not back the crimson,
I did not back the blue,
The red and white were naught to me,
And yet I love each hue.
For oh! she wears the crimson,
Upon her lip it lies,
With red on cheek and white on brow,
And blue in laughing eyes.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Stricken With a Sunstroke.

Charles Austin of Livermore was stricken with sunstroke while working in a threshing crew on the ranch of Amos Clark.

He was first stricken Tuesday and on the first night of his illness, went into violent convulsions. He was taken to Livermore in a cart which broke down en route and Austin had to be carried the remaining distance. He will probably recover.

THE FIFTH IN CAMP.

The Beauty of Santa Cruz Falls Captive Before Its Noble Mien.

OAKLANDERS LEAD THEM ALL.

Surgeon-Major J. P. Dunn Is Bravely Toiling at His Post.

VETERAN ELLIS TO THE FRONT.

Much Hard Work, but Time for a Daily Round of Diversion.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

CAMP SHAFTER, Santa Cruz, Cal., July 18, 1897.—The "Dandy Fifth" has completely captured the seaside city. Nothing is now considered correct unless it be military. Colonel Fairbanks's regiment arrived in town Saturday at midnight on a special train over the Narrow Gauge road.

The trip down was a very enjoyable one and all along the route the soldier boys were the recipients of hearty cheers.

At San Jose, Company B, the pride of the Garden City was taken on board the train. A large crowd of their fair admirers was at the depot to see the boys depart.

Company A of Oakland, under command of Captain C. T. Poulter and First Lieutenant E. G. Hunt, and Second Lieutenant James Vaughn has over fifty men in camp. The same is true of Company F also of Oakland which is under command of Captain C. L. E. Wenk and First Lieutenant Cobbledick and Second Lieutenant Covalt.

The regimental band also from Oakland is a feature of Camp Shafter and is under command of Major A. D. Whitlock.

This year the camp has been located on the large level tract of land just north of the bath houses and adjacent to the beach. The historical battle ground of Tripe Hill, which was made famous by the Division Encampment of 1885 had to be overlooked this time as a camp site. The cause is briefly explained—Tripe Hill has developed into a magnificent building site for comfortable homes.

The advance guard of the Fifth Regiment which came down on Thursday did its work well under command of Lieutenant Hendy and as a result, Camp Shafter, with its myriad of snow white tents presents a most war-like appearance.

The United States War Department has detailed Captain Carrington of the regular army to attend Camp Shafter and to make a full report of his observations.

Attorney R. B. Tappan is in camp as a high private of Company G of Alameda.

Musician Hermann of Company A makes up in voice what he lacks in height. Oakland's vociferous auctioneer will have to look to his laurels or else "Hermann the great" will outclass him.

Captain Elliott of Company D is a disciplinarian of no mean quality. On Sunday morning after arrival in camp refreshing sleep seemed to be out of the question, but Captain Elliott, as officer of the day, routed all the noisy lads in true military style. He placed them all on picket duty and in a few minutes the proverbial pin could be heard to drop.

No encampment would be complete without Sergeant Charles Ellis, the veteran guardsman and member of Company A. Charlie is easily distinguishable in parade, for his manly breast is literally covered with medals, mostly earned for valiant service.

At inspection of quarters this morning the ceremony was conducted by Captains Rottanzi, Carrington and Elliott and Hospital Steward G. R. Painter.

Among the Oakland people in Santa Cruz are H. A. Glines, Officer Sill, J. O'Connor, A. Nicoletti, Mrs. Hermann, Mrs. Peterson, Miss Sternisky, Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Captain Wenk, Mrs. Bergner, Mrs. D. Strong, Mr. and Miss Gersh. Major J. P. H. Dunn and Corporal F. D. Moore arrived on the noon train and went into active service immediately.

At dress parade this afternoon the wealth and beauty of Santa Cruz turned out en masse to witness the interesting event. Companies A and F of Oakland went through the ceremony with clock-like precision.

This evening a sacred concert is to be given at headquarters by the regimental band, under direction of Leader McBain.

Tomorrow camp life in earnest begins and hard work can be expected by the guardsmen.

The daily calls at Camp Shafter are as follows:

First call reveille, 5:30 A. M.; reveille, 5:45 A. M.; breakfast, 6:15 A. M.; police call, 7 A. M.; sick call, 7:30 A. M.; inspection camp, 7:45 A. M.; drill, first call, 8 A. M.; drill, assembly, 8.15 A. M.; recall, 10:30 A. M.; first sergeant's call, 11 A. M.; lunch, 12 M., parade, first call, 4:45 P. M.; parade, assembly, 5 P. M. Guard mount immediately following parade; dinner, 6.15 P. M.; retreat, sunset; tatto, 10 P. M.; taps, 10:30 P. M.

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PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prosecuting Attorney B. A. Melvin and Mrs. Melvin and family left yesterday for Oregon, where they will remain a month.

A. A. Moore Jr. has returned from his outing at Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. Addison Goodrich has returned from a week's visit in Los Gatos as the guest of Mrs. Nellie Waller.

E. E. Goodrich has come down from Santa Clara on a visit to his family in this city.

The five-year-old son of Professor E. F. Burrill of the High School is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Clavin C. Childs and daughter Beatrice are visiting Mrs. Childs' parents in Hillhurst, Washington.

Miss Lucy Michalis of Woodside, San Mateo County is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Moore.

Mrs. J. P. Maxwell has returned from a visit with her brother, Mrs. Schultz in Colusa County.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kent have entertained Judge Venable of San Luis Obispo during the last week.

Stephen Story, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Rourke, Miss Lydia McMenomy, Miss Mildred Lumsden, Miss Emalita Moffett and Miss Edith O'Rourke are making a camping trip through Lake County.

Joseph J. Rosborough has gone to Sonoma County today for a week's outing.

Miss Virginia Goodsell is entertaining her cousin, Miss Kate Goodsell of Omaha, Nebraska. Miss Goodsell will remain for the summer.

Miss Sara Whitney will leave for Paris on the Twenty-eighth. She will be the guest of Mrs. F. M. Smith and family at Shelter Is and and will spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Havens at Sag Harbor, Long Island.

Mrs. T. E. Brigham and children are staying at the Raymond Hotel, Los Gatos.

Mrs. A. W. Kirkland of Los Gatos has returned from a visit in this city and San Francisco.

Mrs. Mary Dillman of Alameda is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Cooper in Campbell.

Miss Winifred Morgan has returned from a pleasant visit in Colusa.

H. C. Taft left yesterday for a six weeks' trip to New York.

Miss Blanche Perkins is visiting J. F. Wehmeyer and family in Campbell.

Mrs J. Brady, Misses Marguerite and Alice Brady left Saturday evening for Napa, where they will spend the summer.

J. Weston Russell of Deadwood, Dakota, is spending a month with his father, J. M. Russell of 1680 Webster street.

Mrs L. M. Moore of Montpelier, Indiana, is spending a month with her sister and uncle, J. M. Russell of 1680 Webster street.

Mrs. M. Blanchard and family of Stockton are the guests of Mrs. H. M. Ward in this city. They will remain for a month.

Mrs. J. S. Smith and Miss Amelia Smith of Stockton are spending two weeks in Berkeley.

Miss Elsa Rooney of Stockton is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Geraldine Rivers is the guest of Miss Sadie Oullahan in Stockton.

Miss Nellie Edmundson of San Jose is visiting in this city and San Francisco.

Mrs. Frederick and Miss Lena Redington were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Harrenstein in San Jose last week.

Mrs Fred Garretson is the guest of Mrs S. W. Gilchrist in San Jose.

Miss Maude Crichton is spending two weeks at the Hotel de Redwood.

Company A of the Fifth Regiment will give their first grand ball Thursday evening, August 5th.

Senator Fred S. Stratton has returned from his outing at Mt. Shasta.

Miss Margaret Jolliffe has returned from Siegler Springs.

Miss N. Camer Kent entertained the members of Lambda Theta Phi Fraternity at an informal tea last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Hall leave today for a trip through the mountains. They will probably go as far as Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips have returned from Pacific Grove.

Misses Jean and Florence Hush have returned from a trip to the various summer resorts.

J. J. Valentine, accompanied by Miss Ethel and Master George, is spending a month in the Sierras.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holt, Miss Grace Holt and Miss Louise Simmons have returned from their outing at Mill Valley.

Mrs. Seth Mann chaperoned a party of picnickers to Lake Chabot last week, her guests being Miss Harris, Miss Clift and Miss Judson.

Miss Sophie Newlands sailed Saturday from Jersey City on the steamer Phoenicia for Edinburgh, Scotland, where she is to marry Professor Neustadt of that city.

Attorney Sam Bell McKee is at Lake Tahoe.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Von Adelung and Miss Borland are spending a week at Ben Lomond and Santa Cruz.

Attorney Clarence Crowell is visiting with Judge Sam Hall at his summer home near Felton.

Misses Gaze, Misses Anita and Pauline Lohse and Miss Florence Walker have returned from Villaremi, where they have spent some time as guests of Miss Kate Chabot.

Thomas McGowan and Mrs. May Skinner, both of this city, were married at San Rafael last Sunday. They will make their home in North Oakland.

Mrs Cumbers gave a party in honor of the twenty-fourth birthday of her son, Charles Cumbers, last Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Cumbers, Jessie Wood, Lena Wanna, Ethel Cumbers, Charley Cumbers, Alfred and Archie Tapsen and Alfred Cumbers.

Miss Florence Sharon gave a charming dinner party Friday evening in colonial style, in honor of Miss Sara Whitney, who leaves shortly for Paris. Invitations, costumes, tables and even the amusements were after the quaint fashion of colonial times.

Captain and Mrs. Fletcher entertained a number of friends on board the "King Edward" last Saturday. Those present were: Captain Storm of the British ship Kimilebank, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bryden, Mr. and Mrs. G. Orton, Misses Senlick, Lizzie Senlick, Annie Rogers, Dixon Mewhill, Annie McLeod, Margaret Bryden Slicer, Messrs. Dias, John Eadie, L. G. T. Dixon, William Twaddle, H. G. Whittle, McCaren, Mr. Stark (first mate of the Hallwood), Mr. Holden (first mate of the Rathdown), Mr. Brown (first mate of the Trafalgar) and others.

A silver wedding of peculiar interest to all present was that of Joseph Whipple Congdon and Mary E. Bartlett Congdon at the home of George C. Bartlett on Chestnut street. It was also the occasion of the twenty-seventh birthday anniversary of their son, George Congdon. Both the Congdons and Bartletts have interesting historical family connections. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George R. Allen. Mrs. Congdon wore a beautiful peach bloom silk, which she had worn as a bride twenty-five years ago. The mother, brothers and sisters were all present, forming a complete family reunion. Many were present who have been associated with the families at interesting points in their lives. Two poems were read. Many beautiful presents were received by Mr. and Mrs Congdon.

A GANG OF MURDERERS.

Thousands of Dollars Cleaned Up by Insurance Operators.

They Take Out Policies on Sick People and Poison Them.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

W. D. Robinson of Meredian, Miss., has been in the city several days in consultation with the officials of some of the principal life insurance companies. His object is to bring to light the facts in a conspiracy to defraud insurance companies by insuring invalids and when disease failed to hasten the death of the victims by means of poison.

The scene of the conspiracy is said to be laid at Kemper county, Miss.

Mr. Robinson estimates the operation of the conspirators given after conferences with the New York Mutual Reserve, the New York Life, the Equitable and the Mutual Benefit of New York, is as follows:

"Policies in which the members appeared as beneficiaries, 100; number who died by disease, 30; number who died by poison, 12; number whose lives were attempted, 15; cancelled, 60; amount cleared and divided by the plotters, $75,000; still to be paid and divided, $15,000."

In this connection the Journal and Advertiser reviews the operations of Dr. W. H. Lipscomb of Scooba, Miss., now under sentence of death for the murder of H. C. Stewart; Guy Jack a Mississippi merchant, indicted for murder by the grand jury, and out on bail and other Mississippi citizens.

The Journal and Advertiser claims that the ramifications of the conspiracy in the South to be practically endless.

PREPARING FOR TROUBLE.

The United States Navy Is Being Centred in Prospect of War

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Herald from Washington says. With a view to have available for immediate service as many of the ships of the navy as possible, Secretary Long is considering the advisability of placing the monitor Miantonomah in reserve.

The Miantonomah was laid up in ordinary at League Island in 1895 and since that time but little attention has been paid to the ship except to make repairs from time to time.

Secretary Long now intends to have the vessel put in thorough condition so that she can be ordered into reserve with the Columbia and Minneapolis. This means that a "short" crew with a full supply of stores and coal will be kept on board and that she can be made ready for sea service within five days if the necessity arises.

While department officials declare there is no significance in this move, the attitude of Japan with respect to Hawaii and Cuban trouble are sufficient to make the administration desire to be in good shape to meet any emergencies that may arise.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.

A Thief Steals a Wedding Ring and Some Small Change.

A rather peculiar house breaking occurred in East Oakland yesterday afternoon.

The home of Mrs. J. Gunter, 1319 Eleventh avenue, was entered while the family was away. The panels of the back door of the house are glass, and one of them has become so loose that it can easily be moved backward and forward.

The thief who entered the house yesterday succeeded in moving the panel back far enough to insert his hand and unlock the door.

After securing Mrs. Gunter's wedding ring and a purse containing some small change the thief was evidently frightened away, as a lot of silverware was left in the middle of the dining room.

Detectives Hodgkins and Holland are working on the case.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.

David Willcox, a pioneer lumberman and a wealthy resident of this city, died at his home, 1308 Madison street, Saturday night. Death was due to an attack of spinal meningitis complicated by the fact that Mr. Willcox had never fully recovered from a stroke of paralysis which he sustained more than a year ago.

Mr. Willcox was a member of the firm of E. B. Dean & Co., at 22 California street, San Francisco. He had been prominently identified with the firm's interests for the past six years.

The deceased was born in L'Orengal, Canada, in 1827, and was therefore 70 years of age at the time of his death. He came to California in 1851 and from a small beginning in the lumber business soon achieved a fortune and has since figured prominently in commercial circles on the coast. The firm of E. B. Dean & Co. was dissovled late in the fall of 1896, and since then the affairs have been in the hands of a receiver.

Mr. Willcox is survived by a wife, Mary A. Willcox, and three daughters, Minnie and Bertha Willcox and Mrs. W. A. Lawton of 1207 Castro street.

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Must Wear Union Shoes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Every man who marches in the big Labor Day parade must wear union-made shoes with the union label imprint on the sole. A committee has been appointed to inspect every shoe in the line of march, and any man found guilty of wearing non union shoes will be dealt with accordingly.

The action to this effect was taken at the labor meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor on the suggestion of William Jones of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union of America.

Mr. Jones demanded that the shoemakers' label be given the same recognition as the printers, cigar makers, coopers and horseshoers copyrighted devices. He argued that the labor leaders had decided that no horses shall be ridden in the parade which are not shod with union made horseshoes, bearing the journeymen horseshoers' label and following the same line, he declared the men must also be union shod.

Made a Big Haul.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GUTHRIE, July 19.—Two masked men robbed the Sac and Fox agency post office, fifty miles from here, Saturday night, securing a quantity of registered letters, stamps and a small sum of money. They were after $20,000 being paid the Indians.

The robbers escaped. Deputies have left here for the scene.

A Bad Runaway.

Mrs George H. Hudson of Niles, narrowly escaped death Friday night. She was driving to the station with her twelve-year-old son, when her horse became alarmed at the train. He suddenly leaped around wrenching off a wheel of the buggy, dragged the vehicle a hundred yards or more. Mrs. Hudson and the boy miraculously escaped any serious injury.

A Good Estate.

The appraisers of the estate of Fred J. Schafer, deceased, have filed the inventory and appraisement of the estate. The real estate situated in Eden Township is appraised at $4,750 and personal property, including a sum of $807 in the Union Savings Bank making the total $5,644.

A Much Wounded Man.

A. W. Berr, the electrician at the Hearst place, near Pleasanton, was badly burned by an explosion of the gasoline machine. On the same day Berr was thrown out of a wagon by the seat breaking down and received an ugly scalp wound.

G. A. Beach Kills Himself.

George A. Beach, who formerly drove a gurney cab in this city, committed suicide at Oakdale, Stanislaus county, on the 10th inst., by shooting himself in the heart. Financial difficulties were the cause of the act.

Meeting of Stockholders.

The Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company's stockholders held their annual meeting Saturday afternoon, but no business of importance was transacted.

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Detailed information, tickets and sleeper berths furnished at company's Oakland office, 1118 Broadway, telephone main 425. J. J. Warner, passenger agent.

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A TREAT FOR THE CHILDREN.

The Little Ones of Oakland Will Be Entertained Wednesday.

ALL GUESTS OF "THE TRIBUNE."

Everyone Has an Opportunity to View the Great Animatoscope.

ORPHANS TO BE ENTERTAINED.

The Youngsters in the Various Asylums Have Been Invited.

Wednesday afternoon, from 1 to 5 o'clock, the children of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley will be the guests of the Tribune at the Edison Animatoscope on Washington street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Any child under fifteen years of age may enjoy this rare treat and there is no reason why any one should miss it. There is nothing on the programme to which the most fastidious parent could object, but on the contrary, it is a pleasing, instructive exhibition of the illustrious wizard's masterpiece.

While it is not generally known, it is a fact that the Animatoscope to which the Tribune has invited Oakland's little ones is the only genuine Edison Animatoscope on the Pacific slope. To be sure many so-called Animatoscopes have been presented to the public, but they have generally been fakes, gotten up to hoodwink the people, and they bear but little resemblance to the original instrument, the marvellous creation of the world's greatest genius.

The Animatoscope which the Tribune's guests will witness next Wednesday was built at the Edison works, under the personal supervision of the great master. It is, therefore, a bona-fide instrument.

While the price of admission to the Animatoscope is small, dimes are scarce and there are many hundreds of children in Oakland who would be unable to see the wonderful instrument were it not for the Tribune's offer. By cutting out the accompanying coupon and presenting it at the door any child will be admitted free of cost next Wednesday afternoon.

The programme arranged for the occasion will be given every half hour from 1 to 5 o'clock and every child in the city can easily be accommodated.

Besides the school children and the other children of the city, the boys and girls of the various orphan asylums have been invited, and it is proposed to have the little ones, who rarely have such an opportunity, attend the performance in a body. Such a day's entertainment will long be remembered by the little orphans, who must go through the world, knowing neither a father's care nor a mother's tender guidance.

One of the main features of the performance will be the exhibition of "Dolorita" in the fire dance. This famous dancer received an enormous fee for dancing before the Animatoscope and it is said that this one feature is worth many times the price of admission. The Tribune's guests will have the privilege of seeing it free. There are many other features which are to be presented in the performance and the young folk may look forward to an afternoon of real pleasure. The pictures are all colored true to life and are life-size. They will be thrown on a screen twelve feet square.

Arrangements have been made with the managers of the Animatoscope, whereby every child who wishes to embrace the opportunity of viewing this wonderful instrument can be accommodated. The building in which the performance is to be given is sufficiently large to accommodate all who care to attend in the four hours during which the show will last.

While the performance Wednesday has been arranged especially for the children, their parents and other older people will find the entertainment highly interesting and enjoyable. The Animatoscope is certainly one of the greatest inventions of the century and those who have not seen it should lose no time in visiting the place. The instrument is located at 1155 Washington street.

Of the many features of the entertainment perhaps the one which will interest the children most, is the great "Sunset Limited" scene. The train comes dashing through the screen apparently, at a terrific rate of speed. It is as though one were standing by the track of a real railroad. Everything is true to life to the smallest detail. The smoke, the dust raised by the flying train, the scared animals hurrying from the track as the train approaches, everything is there as in reality. One finds it difficult to realize his surroundings when the scene is over.

Then there is the morning bath, where the splashing water and the shivering of the bather is as plainly discernable as in life. The expression on the faces of the little darkies as they contest in a watermelon eating match is as enjoyable to behold as it is true to nature and the feeding doves and performing elephants are wonderfully life like.

The great Corbett prize fight will not be given on Tribune day.

In all, eighteen beautiful moving pictures will be presented and no boy or girl in Alameda county can afford to miss the rare treat which may not be obtainable again for years.

Ever since the first announcement of the coming entertainment was made in the Tribune the children have been intensely interested and many queries are made at the Tribune office every day in regard to what is necessary to obtain admission to the Animatoscope performance. There seems to be an impression that the entertainment will cost the little ones something.

All that is required is that the child shall cut the coupon from the Tribune and present it at the door and he will be admitted to the entertainment. The children need have no fears in that respect. They are to be the guests of the Tribune.

The programme to be presented is as follows:

Performing elephants, feeding the doves, Tom Sherman, Sunset Limited, morning bath, burning stable, children's toilet, serpentine dance, girls' pillow fight, eating watermelon on a wager.

Roberts Has Vanished.

Harry Roberts has vanished.

He was the friend, confidential adviser and sweetheart of Mrs. Lucinda Wagner, the mother of Abe Majors, the boy burglar. He came here to offer assistance to Mrs Wagner in having Abe transferred from Folsom prison to the State Reformatory and before long the consignment of the couple was announced. It was thought that Roberts was quite wealthy.

Now Roberts has left, owing Mrs. Wagner a board bill and a law firm, which did considerable legal work in the Majors case.

THE CELESTIAL MAIDEN.

The Chinese Drama to Run This Week at the Oakland

"The Celestial Maiden" will commence its second week run at the Oakland Theater tonight. It now seems to the play has been added by the author, Charles Ulrich, and specialties introduced, besides other new features. By request a professional matinee, for the benefit of the theatrical people of San Francisco, will be given Thursday. The regular weekly matinee will be given Saturday of this week. The cast includes E. J. Heron, Lottie Williams, Richard Scott, Frank E. Clayton, Thos. Bates, Pearl Ota Humphrey, Frank Williams and the supporting members of the Bates Stock Company.

Mr. Thomas D. Bates, managing the Bates Stock Company, and Manager F. W. Sheehan of the Oakland Theater are giving the drama a splendid production, the scenery and costuming being very elaborate.

ROBBED FOR FOOD.

A Dishonest Negro Would Not See His Wife Go Hungry.

William Newman, a colored man, was arrested last night by Detective Holland and Hodgkins and charged with tapping the till of John Xavier's saloon at Twenty-first and Broadway yesterday morning. Sixteen dollars was taken, and Newman says he lost all his money shooting craps Saturday night and tapped the till because he was broke.

Newman was at his home, where Mrs Mary Morley was holding a Bible reading, when he was arrested. He had spent most of the money taken for provisions, which he took home to his wife.

Hop Pickers Wanted

The Pleasanton hop fields are offering inducements to laborers from a distance to work during the season. The local company estimates that there will be a yield of 500 acres this year, whereas last year there was a crop from only 125 acres.

The rate for pickers has been raised from 70 to 80 cents a hundred pounds, so as to induce white people to come from a distance. The Pleasanton company is making preparations to receive entire families near the fields, which are a quarter of a mile from town, so that during the picking season the place will assume the appearance of a tented field.

Reliance Wins.

At Santa Rosa yesterday the Reliance baseball team won from the home club by a score of 11 to 3.

The C. J. Heesemans were defeated at Fresno by the Republicans by a score of 13 to 3.

Fire Near Livermore.

A fire which started several days ago by log blasting in Arroyo Valley, has laid barren over 1,000 acres of grazing and timber land east of Livermore.

WORDS OF WISDOM

Interesting Sermons at the Houses of Worship Yesterday.

REV. GRAIF ON ENDEAVORERS.

He Explains Some of the Aims of the Christian Society.

IS HEAVEN A CONDITION?

The Religious Ideas Prevailing in Far-Away India.

Last evening, at the Twenty-first street Free Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graff, preached on "The Progress and Power of the Christian Endeavor movement." Among other things he said:

"More wonderful than the telephone or electric lamp, air ship or kinetoscope, is the growth and progress of the Endeavor movement. It must have far-reaching merit, and be a deft, marvelous adaptation of means to ends, in order to rise so quickly into a world-wide religious force, binding many colored races and far-sundered lands into one brotherhood. To construct great moral works usually a long time is needed, but this institution, like Minerva, leaps forth into brilliant being at once full panoplied from head to foot, and all-victorious.

"What are the foundation principles that give the Endeavor movement its power and progressiveness?

"First, its fresh, exhilerating, contagious enthusiasm for Christ and the church. Under its impulse and glow, religion is no longer a cold, hair-splitting abstraction, but a sweet, powerful sentiment that lives and labors for the glory of God and the happiness and welfare of the race. It is not fine-spun theories or dry, keen intellect, but truth saturated with emotion, the gospel richly colored with the warm blood of the heart, that molds and dominates the ages. The frosty atmosphere, however artistic or dainty, kills, but the genial sunshine loves grass and flowers. Indeed, true religion is a bright, happy, transfiguring flame, and in its brilliancy and charms larks not the slightest hint or breath of icy torpor.

"What is another secret of the power of the Endeavor movement? Its fine organization, utilizing, like the apostolic system, the whole lay element in some kind of specific service, whether of song or prayer, exhortation or evangelistic effort. Just as great business enterprises mount to success by keeping things well headed, without any loose ends, so Endeavorism finds a place for every youth, and a youth for every place. Just as the old Greek athlete in the foot race would fail of his parsley-garland if he left his loins ungirded or his sandal unbraced, so the Christian without a definite goal or an eager, concentrated purpose is not only ineffective, but a hindrance.

"True Endeavorism is Christianity organized into Pentecostal devotion to Christ and humanity—it is a sort of passionate apostolic ambitious to make Jesus Christ savingly and blessedly real to a world that lies bleeding in sin and sorrow.

"What is the proud inner dream of Endeavorism? To incarnate the Christ ideal among men. Once the enchanting vision of the Greek was to be an artist or philosopher, the Romans beau ideal to become a military hero or a Caesar; the Middle Age fancy to be a Monk or red-cross Knight, but, amid all the dazzling hopes of nineteenth century luxury and splendor, Christian Endeavorism regards no rapture or aim so high and beautiful as the imitation and embodiment of the Christ ideal in the life of its members.

"What, still further, is an element of its power? Its broad interdenominational fellowship. Endeavorism is no one-sided unfolding, no narrow, bigoted path. The same sentiment that snaps the slave's fetters, founds schools, builds asylums, sends the gospel to pagan lands, fights the rum power, feeds the beggar with sweet charity, equalizes rights and glorifies duties, is the same heavenly want that binds one Christian heart to the other. When love rises to God-like friendship the very streets seem paved with gold and the gardens exhale the fragrance of never-fading flowers.

"No form of empire and no sky is so great or magical as the home and realm of the Christ-like, loving heart. So long as Endeavorism is with genuine sincerity, enthusiasm and self-sacrifice devoted to Christ and the church its progress and power are bound to eradicate and transform the world into its own image. No, after all, it is not the love of the Egyptians, nor the art and philosophy of Greece, nor the law and world-mastery of the Romans, nor the oracular tone of modern science that spreads over the earth peace and happiness, good will and ideal progress, but rather out of the all-embracing cross, out of the redeeming heart of the divine Nazarine, flow the streams of civilization and culture that fertilize the ages, and transform the arid wastes of mankind into gardens of the Lord.

"Superbly harnessed to the gospel chariot its individual strands of strength fuse into one grand unity of purpose, well organized for holy warfare under the standards of the cross, all aglow with the fire of the missionary idea. Endeavorism bids fair to revolutionize and save the world with its evangel of a wide awake and aggressive Christianity."

RELIGION IN INDIA.

Cows Are Sacred and Women Are Decidedly Depraved.

The Rev. J. C. R. Ewing, D. D., president of the Christian Mission College at Lahore, India, delivered an interesting address yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. Ewing was formerly a missionary in India and spent eighteen years in the Punjaub district.

Dr. Ewing spoke at some length concerning Buddhism, the prevailing religion of India. The sanctity of the cow and the depravity of women are two leading things in it. An incident was given of a native who wrote as a text book a catechism. Some of the questions were these: "What is hell? Answer—Woman. What is the gate of hell? Answer—Woman. What is the entrance to hell? Answer—Woman," etc. The book was not accepted and the man wondered why. There are 211,000,000 people in India, bound down by the system of caste built up by its religion, and this is the fruit of 4000 years. It has been said that this people might as well be left to their own religion, because it was so hard to convert them from it. Four-fifths of the people daily visit the temples and bow down to an obscene object.

"I have heard," said Dr. Ewing, "of these converted people of India being referred to in derision as 'rice Christians,' and I would say that man will be approximately so. Responsibility is one of the elements that goes to the making up of a true man. Responsibility means an ability and willingness to meet all obligations whatsoever. The responsibility of a manhood can never be met by paying one hundred cents on the dollar.

"A true man is one who commits himself to a high ideal and makes a declaration to do his level best, come what may. In striking contrast is the irresponsible man whose watchword is policy. It is in trying to reach an ideal righteousness that makes a man great in himself and in the estimation of others. Lincoln was honored by all because wherever he was placed he tried to realize in himself the Christian life.

"Another element of a true man is reliability. This implies capability and integrity. Self-trust is very commendable if it is of the right kind. A man always should believe in and insist on his own integrity. It makes possible noble effort and contentment of mind. Determination is something more than will power. It is purpose. After all a man's life is what he makes it. Men should be masters of circumstances and not abject slaves to circumstances. A man with strong purpose and faith is a determined man. It is light opposed to darkness; hope opposed to despair."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Rev. Wilson Says They Are for Pleasure First and Religion Secondly.

The Rev. R. Wilson of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pleasanton delivered a sermon recently in which he made remarks which showed that he is not entirely in harmony with the Christian Endeavor movement, which he said was not for the best interest of Christianity. The thousands attending the convention he said, came for pleasure first and religion afterward. Furthermore he thought it funny that they could raise $60 a head for expenses necessary to conduct the convention, while if they were asked to contribute 5 cents at a dime social they would become sudden poverty stricken. In the same sermon, which was on the importance of religion in life, the idea of the Apostle Paul, according to Rev. Mr. Wilson, was that the soul of man was of the first importance. He said that business men did not take the time to spend on their souls. They were always in a hurry.

WITH THE SALVATIONISTS.

The Lively Camp at Trestle Glen Crowded With Visitors.

Large crowds are in attendance at the Salvation Army camp meeting at Trestle Glen. A number of interesting services were held yesterday.

In the early morning, Major Milsap gave an address on "Success With God." His audience was composed almost exclusively of soldiers, who took part in what is known as a "knee drill."

George Montgomery and wife, the wealthy owners of Beulah, conducted the morning service. They hold commissions as adjutants, but are known as national specials, and are not regular officers of the Salvation Army. They dealt with the subject: "The Fullness of Jesus."

In the afternoon, Major Brengle of New York held forth, in the evening Captain Dunham of Southern California was the speaker.

Today's subjects and speakers are as follows: "The Crimson Fountain," Ensign Campbell and Captain Spurgeon; "A Fish Story," Ensign Meade and Captain Ford, "Joy Abounding," Staff Captain and Mrs. Reid; phonograph entertainment, Ensign Lewis.

"WHAT IS HEAVEN?"

Rev. H. M. McKnight Outlines His Views on the Subject.

"What Is Heaven" was the subject of the Rev. H. M. McKnight's discourse at the Asbury Methodist Church last evening. He stated that heaven was a place as well as a condition and in a Christian's life heaven has already begun. In part he said:

"Very little is said in the Scriptures of our future abode, but very much of our destiny is determined by the character we build. Though existence is to us unthinkable apart from place and spirit, to us unintelligible without form, yet the Old Testament gives little if any intimations of where or what there shall be hereafter. In the New Testament's closing chapter John gives a most glowing view in figurative language of heaven, contemplated from his point of view.

"I have no reason to doubt that heaven is a place as well as a condition, but inasmuch as there could be no heaven to one unprepared to appreciate, appropriate and enjoy it, therefore the essential element of man's adaptation to a heavenly atmosphere, heavenly harmony, heavenly mindedness is emphasized.

"To assure troubled hearts afflicted with materialistic bias, Christ condescended the information that He would personally prepare a place in the many mansioned houses for every faithful one. He lived for all, suffered untold agony for all, died for all and then throw upon them the responsibility of final choice. Ye will not come to me that ye might have life. He offered no gold for streets or gems for gates, but pitied those who were blinded with love of gold dust and infatted with lust for power. He represented his subjects of His kingdom as loving, obedient children. His type was not faithful Abraham, patient Job, or fiery Elijah, but a little child, intelligent, uncomplaining, confiding. Its will in harmony with that of its father and benefactor. Casting its helplessness upon one able to deliver, anxious to provide; its home wherever mother is. To God's child heaven is where His will is done as angels do it."

"True Manhood."

The Rev. T. L. Hanscom of Iowa spoke at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium yesterday afternoon on "True Manhood." He gave an interesting discourse, taking for his text Paul's saying, "Watch ye; stand fast in the faith; quit you like men, be strong."

IRISH DAY AT THE EXPOSITION.

A Fine Programme Arranged by the Sons of Erin's Soil.

Sousa's Pieces Will Be Played by the Band This Evening.

Odd Fellows' night at the Exposition drew an immense crowd Saturday evening and a programme of unusual interest was presented under the auspices of the order.

The stage was effectively and artistically decorated with potted plants and ferns intermingled with the national colors and lodge banners. The daintily clad young women ushers were Miss Nellie Selp, Miss Lizzie Selp, Miss Camilla Holmes, Miss E. Farno, Miss L. Farno, Miss Ella Rehrat, Miss Clara Stoddard, Miss Bessie Prescott.

Past Grand Charles Sumner gave an interesting address and the vocal and instrumental selections were especially good.

Several new attractions have been added to the Exposition. A. L. Davis, the carpenter, who has on exhibition a little redwood cottage, has offered to give the cottage to the first couple who will be married in it. Further developments are eagerly awaited for.

Arrangements for special days are rapidly being made. Tomorrow will be Irish Day with a special programme for children in the afternoon. Among the features are children's dances, in which Hazel Nelson, Fred Nelson, Helen Peterson, George Weaver and Nellie Purdy will take part. The numbers so far as arranged for the evening include vocal solos by Miss Annie Rooney, Miss Mary E. Sullivan and G. Berger; violin solo by Senor Andronique; dramatic readings by F. L. Shaw; vocal selections by C. Griffin and Irish specialties by M. Hyres. The Knickerbocker Quartette will sing and Joseph Keller and Pearl Hickman will appear in Irish step dancing.

The Irish day committee on arrangements includes P. J. Ryan, M. Coakley, P. Flynn, Owen O'Rooney, P. N. Hanrahan, John Cox, B. J. Connelly, J. A. Haran, Frank McAllister and T. J. Desmond.

The G. A. R. will hold a demonstration Saturday evening at the Exposition. J. A. Button will deliver an address in behalf of the Sons of Veterans and Colonel Talcott will speak for the G. A. R. Mayor Thomas will act as presiding officer.

A booth exhibiting old relics of the war will be an attractive feature of the day.

The following band numbers will be given this afternoon:

March, "Italian Royal" .....Gambetta
Overture, "Bridal Rose" .....Lavalle
"The Soldier's Dream" .....Ripley
Waltzes, "Dream on the Ocean".Gungl
Aria, "Falstaff" .....Verdi
Dance by little Pearl Purdy.
Overture, "Dawn to Twilight".Bennett
(a) Flower song .....Lange
(b) Gavatte Stephanie .....Czibulka
Spanish Serenade .....Eilenberg
Medley, "Musical Tour of Europe"..
Galop, "Phonograph" .....Fox

This evening is aptly termed Sousa band night, for the band will render compositions of Sousa exclusively. The programme is as follows:

March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever" .....Sousa
Overture, "Valuor" .....Sousa
The Coquette .....Sousa
Solo for E flat clarinet, "Robin Adair" .....
Mr. Valerga.
Overture, "Tally Ho" .....Sousa
Little Chatterbox, ...
.....Eilenberg arranged by Sousa
Waltzes, "La Reine de la Mer"...Sousa
March, "El Capitan" .....Sousa

The general programme for this evening is composed of the following numbers:

Selections by the Exposition band.
Quartette, Donizetti .....
...Miss May Gooch, Wm Griffin, R. E. Kern, W. H. Barlentyne.
Basso solo, "Thy Sentinel Am I" ....
.....Watson
Duo, "I Love and Love Thee".Campana
Miss May Gooch and R. E. Kern.
Piano solo, Valse Caprice...Mowskowski
Miss A. Vallejo.
Solo, "Kiss Waltz" .....Arditi
Miss May Gooch.
Clarionette solo, selected .....
R. E. Kerr.
Selections by the Exposition band.

CHASED IN A CAR.

How Two Horse Beaters Were Nearly Brought to Justice.

John Henry and A. Bernard were arrested at midnight by Deputy Constable Jack Robinson. They had abused their horse at San Leandro. When they were remonstrated with by a motorman of the Haywards line, they threw stones at the car and broke some of the windows and then drove off.

Robinson was given a special car and finally caught the men at Kane & Daly's stable.

No Animatoscope for Durrant.

The Prison Directors of San Quentin will not allow Durrant to pose before the animatoscope. His father asked the permission, because, he said, it was the only way in which money could be raised for the defense of his son. Mr. Durrant Sr. was given permission to have one photograph of his son taken, but it must be in ordinary garb and must show no striped suit or prison bars.

McLean's Will

The will of J. P. McLean, engineer of the steamer San Jose, who was stricken with fever when the boat was at San Jose de Guatemala, has been filed. All the estate is left to the widow, who resides in Alameda.

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Burial of W. L. Goodwin.

The remains of W. L. Goodwin of Los Angeles were interred at Mountain View Cemetery yesterday.

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25 Silk Overskirts, $5.00—good value $7.50.
25 Black Satin and Gros Grain Brocade Overskirts, $7.50, worth $10.00.
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LIFE IN THE COUNTRY

Weekly Chronicle of Events in the Towns of Alameda County.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN ROADS

Many Strangers From the States Call on Friends.

WINE AND FRUIT MEN ACTIVE.

A Pleasanton Minister Scores Christian Endeavorer Pleasures.

Below will be found the principal news happenings in the county for the past week:

HAYWARDS.

Cypress Camp of Woodmen has chartered a special car to go to Oakland tonight.

The cannery commenced on cots today.

A sister of Mrs. E. F. Dinsmore passed away at Oakland. The remains were taken to Rio Vista for interment Tuesday. Mr. Dinsmore and wife have been in attendance at the bedside for the past five weeks, until the final summons came. They will visit friends here before departing South.

The Palomares public school opened Monday, July 12th, with Miss Kate McGough and Miss Susie Leonard teachers. During vacation the rooms were completely renovated and new blackboards added. There has been no reduction in the teachers' salaries.

The following party spent a very pleasant time Wednesday, on a visit to Mount Tamalpais and then rode up the mountain on the scenic railway: Mr. and Mrs. F. Frost, Miss Alice Garrison and Miss Parsons of New Jersey.

Thos. C. Armstrong, the real estate dealer, who has had a hard wrestle with pneumonia, is getting back to health steadily, and appreciates the fine summer weather, though it is a little tropical.

It looks as though April of drying will be more extensive this year than any previous season. The weather so far this year could not be improved upon for this work.

Master Harry Colins and sisters, Adelle and Vera Collins, are visiting Mrs. Wagoner at Leona Heights, where they are camping out.

Word was received Thursday from the Humboldt bear hunters that they had reached land after a most tempestuous voyage, that nearly laid them out.

There was a large number of graduates at the meeting of the Alumni Association, which was held in the High school building Wednesday evening. Considerable important business was transacted, among which was the adoption of a constitution. The interesting provisions of the constitution are, in substance, as follows: The name of the society shall be the Alumni Association of Union High School. The following officers were elected: President, Miss A. Mast; vice-president, J. Eldridge; secretary, J. Cooper; treasurer, Miss J. Cahill.

On Wednesday evening the trustees held a special meeting regarding the improvement of the upper portion of B avenue. Chairman Haar was appointed a committee to interview the different property owners to see how much they will give to have the street properly fixed up. When this amount is ascertained the Supervisors will be notified, and a settlement of the question undertaken by the Supervisors and trustees.

LIVERMORE.

(From the Livermore Herald.)

The town trustees have adopted ordinances against gambling, the selling of liquors by minors and nickel in the slot machines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schluter are the guests of friends in Contra Costa county.

The weather for several days the past week was the warmest felt in this section this summer. Monday last the thermometer stood 101 degrees in the shade in the forenoon.

Mrs. Green of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Savage. Many years past the two ladies were school mate.

Mr. John Beck has returned from Suisun, where he has been engaged the past three months in putting in a water system for that city.

Mrs. Thomas, mother of W. H. Thomas, who was critically ill, is now improving.

Hay pressing was temporarily suspended, owing to the hot spell, for a few days last week.

Judge Taylor suffered a slight set back during the past week, which was in a measure due to the warm wave. He is, however, feeling greatly improved.

Christopher Buckley is increasing the cooperage capacity of his cellars from 75,000 to 150,000 gallons. Mr. Buckley is the first one to follow the suggestions of the Winemakers' Corporation, but there will be others in the valley who will follow his example.

The Livermore wine makers have adopted the following:

"Resolved, That we pledge ourselves that we will not in the future sell a pound of our grapes to any person or corporation who is not a member of the Wine Makers' Corporation, and that we will stand by them and assist their laudable efforts to maintain the viticultural industry of California on a sound and paying basis.

"Resolved further, That a committee be appointed to personally visit each and every grape grower in this district for the purpose of enlisting them and pledging them to sell only to the members of the California Wine Makers' Corporation, and those who, previous to the vintage, will have agreed to transfer their wines to said Wine Corporation."

Charles Austin, who has been working on a threshing outfit on the Amos Clark place about three and one-half miles east of town, suffered a severe sunstroke Tuesday. When he quit work for the day he was overheated and complained of not feeling well, but thought nothing of it and went to bed. During the night he had convulsions, and while in that state it took seven men to hold him. Mr. Clark placed him in a wagon and started for Livermore, but had luck still pursued them, for when in the outskirts of town a wheel of the wagon broke. The wagon was abandoned and Austin was carried to the Livermore hotel, where Dr. Warner was summoned. For a while the doctor gave no hopes for his recovery, but the man rallied and at last accounts is doing well.

Among the visitors at Livermore the day of the celebration were about 100 miners from the Corral Hollow coal mines. It was the first holiday they had enjoyed for over a year, and to say that they had a joyous time is but putting it mildly. They bought all the firecrackers in town and would have purchased more had they been obtainable. They sang and they ate and they drank, and in this big body of jolly workingmen, there was not the slightest appearance of trouble of any character.

ELMHURST.

(From the San Leandro Reporter.)

The public school opened on Monday morning.

A general merchandise store will be opened in the Red Men's block.

Joe Silva, who has been very sick for a month past is much better.

The Odd Fellows installed their newly elected officers on Thursday evening.

Col. Clarnace, who was shot by Mahon some nine weeks ago, is up and around.

Motorman McKenzie and wife, who have been on a trip to Kern county, have returned home.

Ex-Assistant Superintendent Brooks, who has been in Los Angeles for some months, is once more in the employ of the electric railway.

The Misses Tuttle, who have been visiting at the residence of Mr. Chas. Stilling have returned to their home in San Francisco.

The Woodmen of the World took possession of their new meeting room on Wednesday evening. There was a candidate initiated after which there was a banquet.

Miss Belle Duncan of Pacific Grove, who was appointed a teacher in the public school two weeks ago, has resigned, and Miss Fannie Bell of Farmington, Sonoma county, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

There was a constable from Fresno here on Wednesday looking for Bryant Fanning, who has been conducting a restaurant at this place for a few weeks. Fanning left here a week or so ago. He left a number of business men who are as anxious to meet him as the Fresno constable.

PLEASANTON.

(From the Pleasanton Times.)

The recently organized Bohemian Club gave its initial party in Johnston hall Thursday evening. The affair was well conducted and a success in every respect. David Kron acted as floor manager. The committee of arrangements consisted of Louis Rice, Thomas Silver and Herman Baumgarten. All the members of the club acted as the reception committee.

The new Snarey home on Ray street will be ready for occupancy in about two weeks. It is a model residence an dwell be one of the prettiest homes in Pleasanton.

Nick, the 11-year old adopted son of Peter Wile of Dublin, had his left leg broken last Tuesday. He was helping to load hay when one of the bales fell on him. Both bones of the leg were broken between the knee and ankle. Dr. Hershiser was summoned and reduced the fracture. The lad is reported as doing nicely.

Supervisor Wells has reported assisting 222 indigents during June at a cost to the country of $320.

Lilienthal & Co. have completed their contract with the county to dredge near the new Santa Rita bridge.

There was a party last Wednesday evening at the Harris residence. It was a farewell to Miss Minnie Harris, who will leave Pleasanton to teach school at Crow Canyon. Those present were Misses Bessie Johnston, Bessie Downing, Minnie Harms, Josie Claibourne, Annie Harms, May Johnston, Messrs. Robt. Helms, Ben Carroll, Alfred Harms, Ed Harms and Jesse Mendenhall.

Rev. Wilson of the M. E. Church preached a sermon last Sunday night that was replete with startling statements with relation to the Christian Endeavor convention. The theme of the sermon was that without religion, all else in life is without value. The striking part of the discourse concerned the great Christian Endeavor Convention. Rev. Wilson waxed warm in expressing his dissatisfaction with the movement. He said it was not for the best interest of Christianity. The thousands attending the conventions he said, came for pleasure first and religion afterward. Furthermore, he thought it funny that they could raise $60 a head for expenses necessary to conduct the convention while if they were asked to contribute ten cents at a dime social they would become suddenly poverty stricken.

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Another Failure.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—R. Rothschilds Sons & Company, dealers in bar fixtures and furniture at 595 Broadway assigned today. Liabilities $150,000; assets $100,000. The company had its principal office in Cincinnati, Ohio.

A Big Failure.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Theodore H. Schnitz, real estate dealer assigned today. The liabilities, $700,000 are probably exceeded by large real estate holdings. A heavy mortgage indebtedness caused the assignment.

OAKLAND SHOULD WORK UP

Attorney George De Golia Says It Is Behind the Times.

He Speaks of His Recent Eastern Trip and Draws Comparisons.

George De Golia, who returned last night from the Grand Lodge of Elks at Minneapolis, was interviewed this morning and said:

"It is needless to say I am glad to get home, after spending two or three weeks between Minneapolis, Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake. First on account of the excessive heat in those cities; and secondly, because there is no place like Oakland.

"There seems to be a general feeling in the East among well informed men that times are gradually getting better. Every one seems hopeful, and many of them look to California as the place where good times will begin. It seems to me that we are as well off, if not better, here than people under similar conditions in the Eastern States. Think of wheat at $1.37 a bushel, when it was only 87 cents last year. Then the feeling East is that Hawaii is to be annexed, and that is bound to help California.

"People are continually inquiring as to the gold mines of California, and they ought to begin to produce as the result of the last two or three years' expenditure in developing them. And on top of that comes this Alaska discovery, and California is bound to go to the front.

"One thing I noticed about the Eastern cities is the attention given to public parks. In Minneapolis there are two or three lakes within a few miles of the city, and these lakes have been beautified at public expense so that their surroundings are simply immense parks in which the people of all stations in life can go every afternoon in carriages, on bicycles, on the electric cars, and have a cool place, as well as an opportunity for social intercourse or enjoyment.

"A week ago Sunday we spent hours simply driving through the parks in Chicago, mile after mile of lawns, drives, with small lakes here and there, way out beyond the old fair grounds; thousands upon thousands of people—men, women and children—were there enjoying themselves in the fresh, cool air and the freedom of the parks. I am safe in saying that there were at least twenty thousand people out that afternoon on bicycles.

"Another thing I noticed in Chicago was the independence of the women; they go everywhere alone, and it is no more thought of or noticed than if they were men. They are in every business house you enter; they all dress quietly and never seek to attract attention.

"In all business matters everybody figures upon the basis of cents; not on the basis of nickels, as we do in California but nowhere could we get a meal as good or as cheaply as you can get them at a dozen places in San Francisco.

"I thought a number of times how much behind the times Oakland is with her bad streets, and with a beautiful body of water near by absurdly unimproved. Why, in any city of any size in the East, Lake Merritt and its surroundings would have been converted into a public park long ago."

MINERS ASK CONGRESS FOR PROTECTION.

(Continued from page 1.)

gold in the world. From the foundation of the Government to Christmas, 1894 the entire production of the United States has been $2,000,000,000. The highest rate of production in any one year was $65,000,000 in 1853, following the discovery of gold in California. For the year 1894, the United States, Africa and Australia, were about on a par in their gold production, each representing about $40,000,000.

If Alaska does as well any time within the next ten years it will be extraordinary. That would be about 1 per cent of the present gold coinage and a still smaller proportion of our present gold stock. The difficulty in expecting any change in the ratio between gold and silver from new fields like Alaska is that the production of gold and silver by weight is so disproportionate that it would take mountains of gold to make up the difference. The gold production of 1894 for the whole world was less than 9,000,000 ounces, and the world's product of the white metal was over four times that amount or twenty times as much silver as gold, weight for weight. If Alaska should prove as much of a gold field as South Africa, Australia and the United States put together—something altogether improbable—it would help us to keep up the gold exports and maintain the reserve but it would not disturb materially the relations between gold and silver."

A NEW YORKER DOES NOT CREDIT THE STORIES

But Others Declare the Figures of the Discovery Are Too Small.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The World says:

Daniel Guggenheim of the firm of Guggenheim & Sons, who has large smelting interests, when seen at his Long Branch cottage confirmed the reported discoveries in the Yukon country and said that the new fields would yield far in excess of even the present roseate indications.

"For some time my firm has had expert mining engineers at work in Alaska," he said, "and their report says Yukon gold fields will prove the richest in the world. My opinion is that soon as the country has been opened up and shipping facilities furnished the output of gold will be simply enormous. As the production of gold increases, silver will be enhanced in value. This I regard as certain."

Mr. Guggenheim declined to give in detail the reasons for his faith for higher values for silver.

There are well informed men who look upon the reported discoveries as exaggerated. One of these if F. Hobart, associate editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal.

"Yes, I have read these stories," said he, "but to be frank I do not credit them. Our information, which is detailed and positive, makes it impossible for me to accept the repeated announcement that the Yukon river runs over a bed of virgin gold. As a matter of fact, some persons have struck fairly rich placers in the Yukon district. But the large majority of gold seekers in that country have been stranded. There is only a placer yield on record for this section. No quartz has been discovered—not a fragment. Of course it is fed out and worn out during ages from the mountains and indicates the existence of rich quartz deposits. Along the coast conditions are different. There we have quartz mines of Douglas Island, Bernols bay and Sumdum, all rich and one—the Alaska Treadwell—ranking as the largest in the world.

"Our latest advices from the Yukon country are from Loseate. Miners have been arriving in numbers all through the spring, but only at a few points have the placers paid well. Now comes the story that the waters of the Clondyke run with mingled water and gold dust. I cannot credit it. I have direct information from the Clondyke mines and know that some of them have been fairly successful, but I cannot say positively who are behind these 'boom' stories. About two years ago hundreds of venturesome miners drawn to the Yukon by false reports of its fabulous wealth were quietly brought home free of charge by the transportation companies.

"But even if the Yukon fields prove to be peculiarly rich, it will mean comparatively little to the world. Only the hardiest and most experienced miners could hope to prosper in that desolate land. For eight months out of each year no work can be done. The long winter is of Arctic like severity. Into four months the miners must crowd a year's work. These who rush to the Yukon country will court hardships of which they do not dream. If they start now they will barely reach Alaska before winter sets in. Without money and plenty of it, their position would be terrible.

"Winter there means no work, costly provisions and a life destroying climate."

ALL DEALERS MOVE TO THE WATER FRONT.

Another Steamer Line to Be Opened on Thursday Morning.

Adams' Wharf Competition Soon Brough About the Change.

The establishment of commission houses on the water front has proved so successful that another company has been organized and expects to be ready to open up business on Thursday morning. The firms who are to compete with Hunt, Hatch & Company, are: Fossing & Gallagher, Oakland Fruit & Produce Company, W. G. Manual, E. D. Williams, W. A. Louse & Company, Olympia, Garcia & Woods.

The new movement proved so successful from the start that its influence was at once felt on Eleventh street, and although the commission men have been talking about the project for months not one of them liked to take the initiative. When, however, a new firm started on the water front and opened up direct communication with the Sacramento River, the other firms at once found that they could no longer do business through the San Francisco house and they at once took steps to follow the example of Hunt, Hatch & Company.

The new organization has chartered the San Lorenzo and cargoes will be discharged at Clay street wharf. This is not such a desirable location as the depot at Adams' Wharf where all is new and clean, but it will be occupied for the present. As the wharf is not big enough for a large number of teams it is very probable that new corporation will, before long move to the spacious and airy wharf at the foot of Madison street.

CANNOT SELL THE LAND.

The Residents Near Cemetery Creek Gain a Point.

Superintendent of Streets Miller Must Wait Awhile.

The plaintiffs in the suit of George Hawley et al. vs M. S. Miller, Superintendent of Streets, have been granted an injunction restraining him from selling on July 20th, certain properties belonging to plaintiffs for the opening of a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from Twenty-fourth street to the northern boundary of the city.

The complaint alleges that the published notices did not specify the exterior boundaries of the district to be affected.

The plaintiffs also claim that the three Commissioners, E. C. Sessions, A. H. Breed, and J. J. Warner, appointed by the Council to assess costs of damage and benefits, and supervise the work, are not members of the Board of Trade.

The complaint further states that the three Commissioners have at no time filed an affidavit to faithfully perform their duties as Commissioners with the Council or otherwise; neither did they in their report, nor in the plat of the district show the relative locations or dimensions of the lands, nor are the bearings given of the line of the streets or lots, nor are the angles given of the intersection of the lines of streets or lots, so that it is impossible to locate the lots by the plat.

The dimensions in several instances are claimed to be faulty.

The assessment of lot 133 is omitted.

The complaint also claim that the City Council has no authority in the matter, but that the Board of Public Works has exclusive authority.

"WORLD" INCORPORATES.

Berkeley's Lucky Journal Starts Out in Metropolitan Style.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Berkeley World Publishing Company, for a term of fifty years. The principal place of business is Berkeley.

The directors for the first year are as follows: Fred W. Marguand, George Moenning, J. L. Scotchler, Arthur W. St. John, John C. Pagh.

The capital stock is 30,000, divided into 300 shares, at par value of $100 each.

The amount of capital stock subscribed for is $600 each of the following subscribing $100: Fred W. Marguand, George Moenning, J. L. Scotchler, Paul, J. Pagh, Arthur W. S. John, and John C. Pagh.

STRUCK IT RICH ON THE YUKON.

J. B. Dyer of Oakland Is Said to Have Amassed a Fortune.

The Reward of Three Years' Work Filled With Many Hardships.

Tales of the fabulous fortunes made by gold prospectors in the Yukon valley have filled the air lately and are resulting in many planning to go to the gold fields.

An Oakland man, J. B. Dyer, is among those who have "struck it rich" in Alaska and he now holds a fortune in his grasp.

Dyer's mine is located at Chicken Creek and it is looked upon as one of the richest mines in the Yukon. Thousands of dollars are ready to be taken out and both Dyer and his partner are already rich men and may yet be millionaires.

Dyer, who is a son-in-law of Dr. J. M. Selfridge, left Oakland two years and a half ago, going directly to the Yukon. The country was not as open then as it is now and the early prospectors had to battle not only with the cold, but also with difficulties of transportation.

Starvation frequently stared them in the face and only the brave and plucky ones were able to stand the trials and privations in the hope of winning a fortune from the inhospitable land.

Dyer and his partner located the mine at Chicken Creek two years ago, Dyer's partner at the same time locating a claim on the Clondyke, where most of the rich mines have since been found.

The Chicken Creek mine was considered the best and the two men worked it in preference to the Clondyke claim.

Last summer Dyer was taken ill and, weakened by cold and privation, it was some time before he recovered. However this summer operations began early and the mine has been paying rich dividends steadily. Fortune has indeed smiled upon Dyer and his partner. The claim is an immensely rich one and thousands of dollars worth of gold are already in sight. It is a placer mine, like many of the others, differing only in its greater richness.

Dyer may return to Oakland this fall, if he can do so without sacrificing too much, but he will probably return under any circumstances in the spring.

Mrs. Dyer and her small child are still in Oakland and are the lode-stones which attract Dyer home again. Mrs. Dyer has been living with her father, Dr. Selfridge, during her husband's absence.

The news of her husband's fortune has brought happiness to the brave wife who has pluckily waited his return and is now bravely planning to face the signs of an Arctic winter as soon as her husband arranges affairs so that he can take her north with him.

A CHANCE CONTEMPLATED.

Councilman Rowe's Plan to Save Eighty Dollars a Month.

Councilman Rowe, accompanied by Mayor Thomas and City Engineer Clement made a tour of inspection of the City Hall today with a view to definitely deciding the question of so arranging the offices of the Hall that the City Engineer's office may be accommodated in the building.

The Committee from the Board of Education, composed of Messrs. Redington, Powell, and Evans have agreed to have the Board meet in the Council Chambers on Tuesday nights hereafter.

This will give the City Engineer the room formerly occupied by the Board of Education. He will also be given the Superintendent of Streets office, and the room which is to be built between the two rooms, now used as space for the back stairs of the Hall.

City Superintendent McClymonds will continue to occupy his present offices and the City Clerk will do the same.

The Superintendent of Streets will be moved into the two rooms in the front of the building now occupied by the Board of Public Works and the Board will be moved into the Mayor's reception room. The Board meetings will be held in the Council Chamber.

The Mayor will have his present office.

The one difficulty which has stood in the way of the change was the blueprint rooms which is necessary for the Engineer. It was found today that by cutting a door through from the tower of the Hall, the roof can be utilized for that purpose.

The Council Committee, composed of Messrs. Rowe, Watkinson and Girard will probably recommend the foregoing changes at the Council meeting this evening.

The main reason for the change is the saving of $80 a month which is paid for the City Engineer's quarters in the Macdonough Building.

COURT NEWS

Mary A. McAuslan has been appointed administrator of the estate of William McAuslan, deceased.

J. Swan has been appointed administrator of the estate of Maggie Swan, deceased.

Judge Ellsworth has appointed Mrs. Lydia Prescott, guardian of George and Hans Erickson, minors; also of Mary E. Richardson, a minor.

Judge Ellsworth has filed a certificate showing O. H. Dodge qualified to be appointed Medical Examiner of lunacy cases.

T. Joseph Theifen, Peter Baker, and H. B. Belden have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late Joseph Thiefen.

R. H. Parkinson has been declared an insolvent debtor. His liabilities amount to $1,047.70 and he owns property worth $150, all of which is exempt from execution.

Rev. D. Govers has filed a claim of $55 against the estate of Felecia Emella Silva. The claim is for funeral and burial expenses.

Judge Ellsworth has granted a divorce to Leslie D. Coombs from his wife Maggie Coombs on the grounds of cruelty.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, Oakland, July 19, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept. Wheat	68¼-⅜	71⅛	69	71⅛
Sept. Corn	26⅞	26⅞-27	26½-⅜	26⅝
Sept Pork	7 62	7 67	7 57	7 62-65

Puts 70, Calls 72⅝, Curb 71⅞.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	136-38	142⅞	136-38	141⅞
Tobacco	78	78⅝	78	78½
C. B. & Q.	84⅜	85½	84⅜	84⅞
Gas	94⅞	96	94⅝	95½
Manhattan Con.	90	91½	90	91½
Northwestern	118½	118½	117½	117½
Rock Island	76⅝	77⅝	75⅞	76½
St. Paul	86⅝	87⅝	86½	87⅝
Western Union	84⅞	85⅛	84⅞	85⅛
Jersey Central	88	88⅞	88	88¼
E. G. Electric	34⅜	34⅞	34⅛	34⅞

ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN INTERMITTENT HEART.

STOPPED EVERY THIRD BEAT.

But Mrs. Strope's Heart Now no Longer Lags but Throbs Regularly.

From the Leader, Cleveland, Ohio.

In a large, commodious house at No. 104 Huntington Street, Cleveland, Ohio, lives Mrs. Emily A. Strope, widow of the late X. M. Strope, and she is the mother of a young man who has been, and is now one of this city's successful and energetic pharmacists. Mrs. Strope, who has lately recovered from serious cardiac difficulty, when questioned by a reporter regarding her late illness, stated as follows:

"Two years ago, I had my first experience with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. For a long time I was troubled with an ailment which I feared would eventually drive me crazy unless I rid myself of it. It will sound strange, no doubt, to some, but my heart did not beat as it should. Its action was irregular. There would be two pulsations, or perhaps three, and then a sudden cessation. My heart seemed to rest for the period of one or two beats, and then resume its action. Sometimes such lapses would not be so frequent as that, but scarcely a day passed that they did not occur. It felt as though something would strike the heart with great force, and push it out of place. During that period, whenever I lay down to sleep or rest, my hands would become perfectly numb and helpless. I could feel the temporary paralysis coming over them, but I could do nothing which would prevent it. My feet were affected in a like manner, and I had considerable difficulty in walking when such a spell had possession of me. Naturally that state of affairs completely upset my nerves, and any one whose nervous system is well nigh shattered, can appreciate and understand the misery, chiefly mental, which I endured. I lost much sleep and rest, and often I was compelled from sheer exhaustion to sit down during the day to obtain some repose. But as soon as I did so I felt that numb sensation come over my hands and feet, and I rocked violently in my chair to drive it away, but frequently to no avail.

"One day my son, who was keeping a drug store at the time, brought me home some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and advised me to take them for my heart trouble. I did so and soon began to feel better. I used the pills about two months and they certainly cured me, for now my heart beats regularly and all numbness has disappeared and my circulation is in splendid order."

We print the above hoping Mrs. Strope's experience may be beneficial to others who may suffer from derangement of the heart.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills contain in a condensed form all the elements necessary to give new life and richness to the blood and restore shattered nerves. They are also a specific for troubles peculiar to females, such as suppressions, irregularities and all forms of weakness. In men they effect a radical cure in all cases arising from mental worry, overwork or excesses of whatever nature. Pink Pills are sold in boxes (never in loose bulk) at 50c a box or six boxes for $2.50, and may be had of all druggists, or direct by mail from Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

THE LAST RITES.

Funeral Services Over the Remains of the Late J. J. O'Brien.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—The funeral of J. J. O'Brien was held today at 9 30 o'clock from the family residence, 1358 Post street, San Francisco. Requiem High Mass was celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral at 10 o'clock, by the Vicar-General, Rev. Father Prendergast.

The body was placed in the Receiving Vault at Cavalry Cemetery.

The 200 employes of the O'Brien store marched in the procession, which included also several military and fraternal societies.

It was a very quiet and imposing funeral train, there being no music, and the mourners wore no uniforms.

The honorary pall bearers were as follows: Adam Grant, B. P. Oliver, James R. Kelly, E. H. Commins, Henry Doyle, Jeremiah Mahoney, Herbert Spencer and M. P. Hannigan.

FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

SEARING'S FRUITS.

For the best fruits, the freshest and the best variety, go to Searing's, 465 Twelfth.

The Press Clipping Bureau

510 Montgomery street, San Francisco, furnishes all newspaper clippings on all subjects, business and personal.

GOOD PLUMBING.

Ranges connected and water backs put in. Careful attention given to plumbing. W. C. Kabisius, 864½ Webster street.

H. L. SIMMS,

Stationery, periodicals. Large line paper covered books, German books and periodicals. Oakland News Depot, 470 Seventh.

HARDING'S HOTEL and bar. Wines, liquors and cigars. Cor. Park ave. and East Eleventh st.

You can hardly realize that its medicine when taking Carter's Little Liver Pills: they are very small; no bad effects, all troubles from torpid liver are relieved from their use.

Frank Courant has a welcome for his friends at his new saloon on Broadway, near Seventh.

Stiltz & Walker, Samson Market, Eleventh near Washington. Finest fruits, produce and butter. Free delivery.

GIRARDO'S CASTILIAN KITCHEN.

Finest tamales. Spanish cooking. 378 Twelfth street, near Franklin.

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Eastern Syndicate Meat Co.

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The Eastern Syndicate Meat Company has put on the market Choice Stall Fed Meats at prices never attempted by any firm on the coast.

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Prime Rib Roast	8c to 10c
Good Roast	5c to 7c
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Regent J. B. Reinstein of the University of California has returned to San Francisco from a two months' visit to Europe, where he has been inspecting the architectural plans of the great universities of the old world.

Last winter H. E. Maybeck, the instructor of architectural drawing at the University, was authorized to accompany Regent Reinstein on a trip of inspection to the leading universities of the East and consultation with the prominent architects. Instructor Maybeck continued his trip across the Atlantic to Europe and for seven months has been consulting with the great architects, artists and landscape gardeners of that country.

On the first of last May Mr. Reinstein left for Europe on professional business, but he has devoted a great part of his time to the furtherance of the proposed plans. He took with him a topographical map of the grounds and buildings of the University and photographs taken with an idea of illustrating every portion of the grounds and the situation of the University with reference to the surrounding country, as well as lantern slides of the situation, which were exposed in the different cities of Europe, as had been done in the Eastern States last winter. With Mr. Maybeck he has been in London, Edinburgh, Manchester and other cities of Great Britain containing the principal monuments of architecture; to Paris, Brussels, Heidelberg, Berlin, Dresden, Leipsic, Prague, Frankfort, Munich, Vienna, Buda-Pest, Milan, Venice, Rome, Florence and other cities for the purpose of interviewing the world's leading architects and landscape gardeners, and enlisting their interest in the development of the lines along which the competition for the plans should be conducted.

Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst furnished the necessary moneys for securing the plan and has constituted Governor Budd, representing the State; Professor William Carey Jones, representing the University, and Mr. Reinstein, representing the Board of Regents, as trustees of the plan.

The reception of the visitors was in every instance most cordial. The architects generally regard the opportunity presented as one of the greatest ever offered in the history of architecture, for in addition to the beauty of the site, the large area of the grounds, and their situation on a gently rising hill overlooking the Golden Gate, Mrs. Hearst has not restricted the amount of money necessary to obtain this plan.

It is contemplated that there will be an international concurrence of architects together with artists, sculptors and landscape gardeners to bring about the best results. Professor Guadet of Paris, who has probably had the most extensive experience of any person living in this direction, is preparing the "programme," as it is technically called. This will give in detail the requirements of the University together with the necessary data, maps and photographs, and will be finished within a month, when copies will probably be sent to the various architects of the world.

Under the arrangements as contemplated at present the architects will be requested to send in sketches of their plans at a given date and these will be passed upon by a jury consisting of one recognized authority each from France, Germany, England and the United States and a representative of the University, the understanding being that each architect submitting plans will receive some recompense. At least ten of the best sketches will be selected to elaborate their plans. The architects so selected will be permitted to name four additional members of the jury, and these nine jurors will select the ultimate plan. It is probable that there will be about thirty magnificent buildings in all, each of which will be built of marble or other stone, the completion of the work is not expected for many years.

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DIED OF FRIGHT.

J. J. Collins, an Insane Patient, Expires at the Receiving Hospital.

J. J. Collins, an insane patient, who was brought to the Receiving Hospital Saturday and placed in charge of Warden of the Insane Keating, died there yesterday morning. The deceased had an ever wrought fancy. He feared that the roof was to fall upon and kill him. He begged to be saved from his horrible fate.

Collins' home was at 1060 Fifth street. He had been drinking for some days prior to his arrest on the charge of insanity. He became so violent that Mr. Keating was obliged to strap him to his cot.

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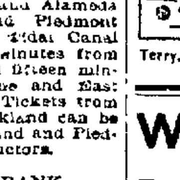

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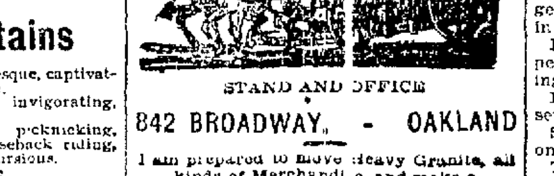

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That Fifteenth street in said city, from the eastern curb line of Wood street to the western line of Campbell street, excepting therefrom the intersection of Willow street, be regraded to the official line and grade and macadamized with class "C" macadam, also that gutters three feet in width of broken rock and grouted be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 15th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance creating the position of Sergeant of Police, declaring the necessity therefor, and authorizing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint persons thereto, upon the recommendation of the Chief of Police, and fixing their compensation.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

A necessity existing therefor, the position of Sergeant of Police is hereby created, and the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint three police officers, recommended by the Chief of Police, from the present police force, to be such Sergeants of Police, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each, the duties of said Sergeants of Police to be such as may be prescribed by the rules and regulations of said department.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal. July 6th, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes — Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Girard, Heitman, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—Mr. Fibush—1.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.
Oakland, July 8th, 1897.

LEGAL.

Notice to Architects

Under resolution adopted July 13, 1897, by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of August, 1897, at 11 A. M., proposals from architects will be received for plans and specifications in detail for an addition and annex to the Receiving Hospital located on the west side of Franklin street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, at which time and place plans and specifications will be selected and adopted by said Board of Supervisors for said addition and annex to said Receiving Hospital.

Said addition and annex to be one story high. The amount authorized by the said Board to be expended for such building not to exceed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars. The premium to be awarded the architect whose plans and specifications may be adopted to be the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars. Said sum to include compensation for superintendency. For location of the said addition and annex and other necessary details, apply to the Clerk of this Board.

By order of the Board of Supervisors,
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
July 13th, 1897.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,166 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Thirty-sixth street in said city, from a point twenty-five feet westerly from the western line of Market street to the sewer in the eastern side of San Pablo avenue, be sewered on the northern side of said street with an eight inch vitrified ironstone pipe sewer as follows: From said point 25 feet westerly from the western line of Market street westerly along a line two feet southerly from and parallel with the northern line of said 36th street to a point 170 feet easterly from the eastern line of San Pablo avenue measured on said line produced westerly; thence at right angles southerly 28 feet; thence southwesterly to the manhole at the head of the aforesaid sewer in San Pablo avenue; also that 30 Y branches of six inch opening be constructed thereon; also that a manhole and 3 lampholes be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 16th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

PROPOSALS for doing the advertising and printing which may come under the direction or order of the City Council of the city of Oakland, or any or all of the departments of the city government.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., July 10, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 2692 of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 21st day of July, 1897, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, for doing the advertising and printing which may come under the direction or order of the City Council of the city of Oakland, or any or all of the departments of the city government of the said city of Oakland, for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1897, and ending June 30, 1898.

Said public advertising and printing consists of all public notices for street work, ordinances, resolutions or other advertisements of the City Council or other departments of the city government of the city of Oakland.

Bids will only be received for advertising and printing in daily newspapers of general circulation, printed and published in the city of Oakland.

Bidders will state in proposals the price per square for doing the said work according to the following schedule, to-wit:

First—A price per square for the first insertion.

Second—A price per square for the second insertion.

Third—A price per square for the third insertion.

Fourth—A price per square for the fourth insertion, and for each subsequent insertion.

The said square to be one-half inch by two inches (two inches being average width of columns).

Nonpareil to be used in body of publication.

All headings of publications not to exceed one-half inch.

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for $300.00, which check shall be forfeited to the city of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $500.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
H. W. THOMAS, Secretary.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,092 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That 13th avenue in said city, from the north line of East 14th street to the south line of East 22nd street, excepting therefrom such portion as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be improved by remacadamizing said street between said lines with class "C" macadam. Said work to be done in accordance with the special specifications contained in Resolution No. 22,954, adopted by the City Council May 17th, 1897.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 17th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKLAND, CAL.

For the six months ending June 30, 1897, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, July 1, 1897. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal from July 1, 1897.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway, consolidated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 902 Broadway, Oakland, California, for the election of officers for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected; also for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, on Saturday, July 17th, 1897, at 2 P. M.

A. L. STONE, Secretary.

LEGAL.

EXECUTORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, Department No. 4 thereof, duly given and made on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1897, in the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, we, the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, will sell, at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on and after the 2d day of August, 1897, all the right, title and interest and estate of said Phillip Boogar, deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Phillip Boogar at the time of his death, of, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Franklin street distant thereon fifty (50) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Eighth and Franklin streets; and running thence southerly along the said easterly line of Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet, and running thence at right angles easterly seventy-five (75) feet, running thence northerly and parallel with Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet; and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning. Being lots numbered 4, 5 and 6 in block 78, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Second—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second street and the easterly line of Poplar street; and running thence easterly along said northerly line of Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet to the westerly line of Union street; thence at right angles northerly along said westerly line of Union street one hundred and twenty-three and one-half (123½) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Poplar street forty (40) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the easterly line of Poplar street, thence at right angles southerly along the easterly line of Poplar street two hundred and sixty-three and one-half (263½) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of block 629, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Third—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point of intersection of the easterly line of Franklin street with the southerly line of Eighth street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Franklin street fifty (50) feet; running thence easterly seventy-five (75) feet; thence northerly fifty (50) feet; and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement. The said last above described real estate will be sold subject to an order of the said Superior Court given and made on April 20th, 1897, in the matter of said estate, and by which order of Court the said last above described real estate was set apart to the surviving widow of the said deceased for and during her natural life.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Cash, in gold coin of the United States, ten (10) per cent of the amount bid payable at the time of sale and the balance thereof upon confirmation by the above entitled Court.

Said real property will be sold, either as a whole or in subdivisions.

All bids or offers for said property, or any portion thereof must be in writing, and will be received and may be left at the law office of P. F. Benson, room 20, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of any sale.

Dated July 13th, 1897.

P. F. BENSON and
E. M. PATERSON,
Executors of the last will and testament of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,095 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Linden street in said city, from the northern line of Eighteenth street to the southern line of Twenty-first street, be sidewalked with cement six feet in width to the official line and grade, excepting therefrom the eastern side of said Linden street from the northern line of 18th street to the southern line of 21st street, also the western side from the northern line of 18th street to a point 130.15 feet northerly from said northern line of 18th street, also from a point 171.68 feet northerly from the northerly line of 18th street to the southern line of 21st street.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 16th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

PROPOSALS for furnishing four horses to the Fire Department.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., July 10, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 2693 of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the twenty first day of July, 1897, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for furnishing four horses to the Fire Department in and of the city of Oakland.

The said horses to be not less than five nor over seven years of age, to be not less than fifteen hands in height, to weigh not less than twelve hundred pounds, to have good life and action, and must be warranted perfectly sound and gentle and broken to harness. The said horses to be delivered to the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the city of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $100 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.
H. W. THOMAS, Secretary.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Georgine O. Larsen, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate at private sale.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, dated July 12, 1897, we will sell at private sale the following described real estate:

The following is the real estate authorized to be sold, being situate in the county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street with the westerly line of Alice street, thence southerly and along said westerly line of Alice St. seventy-three (73) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Eighth street twenty-seven (27) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Alice street seventy-three (73) feet to the said southerly line of Eighth street, and thence at right angles and along said southerly line of Eighth street easterly twenty-seven (27) feet to the intersection of said Alice St. and point of commencement. Being a portion of lots 15, 16 and 17 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellersberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2, 1853.

Second—Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Eighth street twenty-seven feet westerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street and the westerly line of Alice street, and running thence southerly and parallel with the said Alice street seventy-three (73) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with the said Eighth street twenty-four (24) feet, thence at right angles northerly and parallel with the said Alice street seventy-three (73) feet to the said southerly line of Eighth street, and thence at right angles easterly and parallel to said southerly line of Eighth street twenty-four (24) feet to the point of commencement, being a portion of lots 15, 16 and 17 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellersberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2, 1853.

Third—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Alice street seventy-three feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street and the westerly line of Alice street, and running thence westerly and parallel with the said southerly line of Eighth street seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southerly and parallel with the said westerly line of Alice street twenty-five (25) feet; thence at right angles and parallel with Eighth street seventy-five (75) feet easterly to the said westerly line of Alice street, thence at right angles northerly and along the said westerly line of Alice street 25 feet to the point of commencement, being lot 18 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellerberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2nd, 1853.

Fourth—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Market St. two hundred and fifty-one feet northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second St. and the westerly line of Market St. and running thence westerly and parallel with said Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Market St. twenty-five (25) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet to the westerly line of Market street, and thence at right angles southerly and parallel to the said westerly line of Market St. twenty-five (25) feet to the point of commencement, being lot 12 in block 636 as laid down and designated in Boardman's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county April 23rd, 1883.

Fifth—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Market St. two hundred and seventy-six feet northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second St. and the westerly line of Market St. and running thence westerly and parallel with Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Market St. twenty-eight (28) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five feet to the said westerly line of Market St. and running thence southerly and along said westerly line of Market St. twenty eight (28) feet to the point of commencement, being lot 13 and a portion of lot 14 in block 636 as laid down and designated in Boardman's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county April 23rd, 1883.

The sale will be made on or after July 20th, 1897, and bids will be received up to and including July 29, 1897, at the office of E. C. Chapman, one of the executors of the said estate, Mills Building, seventh floor, rooms 43-47, San Francisco, California.

Terms of sale—Each sale will be for cash to the highest bidder. Ten per cent of price offered to accompany bid, balance upon confirmation of the sale by the Superior Court. Property may be bid for in parcels or as a whole. Deed at the expense of the purchaser. No bid considered unless accompanied by ten per cent of the price offered.

Dated July 12th 1897.

WM. M. HATFIELD,
E. C. CHAPMAN,
Executors of the estate of Georgine O. Larsen, deceased.
EVERETT AMES, Attorney for Executors, Mills Bld'g, S. F.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James Plumb McLean, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of James Plumb McLean, deceased, and for the issuance to Wm H. McLean of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 26th day of July, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated July 9th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,0[illegible], to order the following described work and improvement to be made and done to-wit:

That 13th avenue in said city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, be opened and widened and extended to a uniform width of 59.10 feet from the northerly line of East 22nd street to the southerly line of East 23rd street.

And for further particulars reference is hereby expressly made to said Resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland.

Oakland, July 14th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FARMERS' AND MERCHANTS' SAVINGS BANK, OAKLAND, CAL.

For the six months ending June 30, 1897, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on all savings deposits, payable on and after Thursday, the 1st day of July, 1897. Dividends not called for are added to the principal and bear a like rate of interest.

JAMES C. McKEE, Cashier.

GOLDBERG BOWEN & CO.

SPECIAL SAVING SALE.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

The reputation of 47 years guarantee the quality—price insures the sale.

Teas (all 50c per lb.) now 35c
3 for $1.00.
10 varities. New Season's Teas.

Zinfandel V. V. Claret, 45c
Regularly 75c.

Marmalade, Keiller's Scotch 17½c
Regularly 25c.
Made from Seville Oranges.

California Brandy, 3 bot. for $2
Gal. $3.00.
Regularly $1.00 and $4.00.
7-year old, pure grape.

Alkethrepta 25c
Regularly 30c. A homeopathic Cocoa.

Figs, Imported Smyrna, 15c
Regularly 25c.

Tooth Brushes, 20c, 25c, 35c
Regularly 25c, 35c, 50c.
We have reduced these for three days previous to taking inventory of stock.

Camping and country orders specially solicited. Goods of the value of $5 at regular prices, 100 miles free. Illustrated catalogue free.

FOOTPADS ARE ABOUT.

The Tall and the Short Man Again Resume Their Operations.

One Victim Is Severely Clubbed for Resisting the Robbers.

The tall and the short man who did some rather clever work a few weeks ago, and among other things held up a mounted policeman, relieving him of his gun, came out of their seclusion Saturday night and relieved a couple of boys of their week's salaries. Last night they stood up another lad and gave him a severe beating.

Saturday night's victim was Thomas Kelley, aged sixteen years, who is employed at Becker's Meat Market. The boy had reached Fifth and Madison streets, when he was stood up by the two masked men. He was relieved of some small change and when ordered hurried to the Police Station he reported the affair to the police.

His description of the robbers was inaccurate, as the lad was greatly excited.

Harry Anderson, who works at Hodgson's book store on Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Washington, and who lives at 820 San Pablo avenue, was stopped at Eighth and Bush streets at a few minutes past 10 o'clock last night.

When he saw the men approaching the boy dropped his watch which was the only thing of value on his person, in a bunch of weeds, and then tried to stand the men off with fists. He received a couple of blows from the butt of a pistol for his pains, two deep scalp wounds being the result.

Anderson was stunned for a moment and when he recovered the footpads had gone. He then turned to the bunch of weeds where he had dropped his watch and secured the timepiece. Later he reported the matter to the police.

Captain Judd Buncoed.

Captain E. D. Judd, a Park street real estate agent of Alameda, sold the Terrace baths of that city to a man giving his name as Benjamin Wright, who gave a check of $650 to close the deal. Wright borrowed $20 from Judd and left, and subsequently the real estate man learned that the check was bogus.

Visiting Pastors in Berkeley.

Rev. C. C. Pierce of Chelsea, Mass., Rev. J. A. Cruzan, editor of the Pacific Congregationalist; Rev. Dr. Forbes of Santa Barbara and Rev. J. M. Ross of Kirkwood, Ill., supplied pulpits in Berkeley yesterday.

Centerville Won.

The home team defeated the Irvington in a game of baseball at Centerville yesterday. The score was 16 to 4.

REST IN THE TOMB

Col. Charles Crocker Passes Away at His San Mateo Home.

A VERY SUCCESSFUL CAREER.

His Estate Supposed to Be Valued at Ten Millions.

FUNERAL SET FOR TOMORROW.

The Remains Will Be Laid in the Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Colonel Charles F. Crocker, vice president of the Southern Pacific Road died at his home at Uplands in San Mateo last Saturday night at 7:15 o'clock. Death was painless because it came while the patient was unconscious. The Colonel at the last moment was surrounded by family and friends.

The career of the Colonel was a most interesting one. Although he inherited wealth, he did not hesitate to fit himself technically for the profession of railroading which he had elected to follow, and which found in the second place in authority among the officers at the time of his death.

The Colonel was a genial gentleman, popular with those who knew him and his death will leave a void among the social and club circles of San Francisco.

The estate of the Colonel is estimated to be valued at $10,000,000. It consists of a number of valuable properties and other features as follows:

A one-fourth interest in the estate of his father, Charles Crocker, which was said to be worth $40,000,000. The property of the Crocker Company consists in the main of railroad stocks and bonds and other securities. It also includes holdings in the business and other parts of San Francisco, among them being the following:

Crocker building, at the junction of Market, Montgomery and Post streets, valued at $1,250,000.

Golden Gate Block, 125 to 131 Post street, valued at $200,000.

Property on the north side of Post street, between Kearney street and Grant avenue, 100 feet front by 137 feet deep, occupied by Wilson's restaurant and the Hatterick Pattern Company, valued at $175,000.

Revere block, 523 Market street, valued at $200,000.

Dividend block northwest corner Pine and Leidesdorff streets, a five-story office building valued at $140,000.

Golden block southwest corner Montgomery and Bush streets, valued at $175,000.

Cosmopolitan block, a 50-vara with store on lear southwest corner of Sansome and Bush, valued at $300,000.

The Charles Crocker mansion on California street, the value of which it is difficult to estimate.

H. S. Crocker building, 211-215 Bush street, valued at $250,000.

The Crocker Company also owns a large amount of ranch property on both sides of San Mateo County line. These ranches comprise about 1500 acres and include the Daly, Guadalupe and other dairies and the Visitacion ranch of 900 acres. The ranch properties, together with several smaller outside holdings, are valued at $1,000,000.

The incorporated estate has many large holdings of ranch and town properties in Fresno, Merced and other counties of the State.

Among personal holdings of Colonel Crocker were his city residence, corner Pine and Leavenworth streets, and Uplands, the recently purchased country seat in San Mateo county.

The remains of the Colonel will lie at the home in San Mateo until tomorrow afternoon. At noon there will be simple religious service held over them. After that they will be borne to Masonic Temple, San Francisco, where the services peculiar to the Masonic order, of which the deceased was a member will be held.

The interments will be interred in Laurel Hill Cemetery. The arrangements for the funeral were made yesterday at San Mateo by a number of associates of the deceased who had been called thither to consult with the family on the subject. Among those present were General Manager Julius Kruttschnitt, Manager J. A. Fillmore, H. E. Huntington, Third Vice President J. C. Stubbs, Master of Transportation G. F. Richardson, Freight Auditor C. J. Wilder, W. E. Brown, who fills the position of Vice President of the Crocker-Woolworth Bank; A. F. Morrison, attorney for the bank, W. Frank Pierce and A. Chesebrough.

Arrangements have been made for the running of a special train, consisting of Colonel Crocker's private car and a funeral car from Third and Townsend streets, San Francisco to San Mateo tomorrow morning. The train, which will leave at 10 o'clock, will take such of the immediate friends as the family desire to have present at the services at the house. These services will be conducted by Rev. Robert Mackenzie, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. Mackenzie is now on his way from Ogden, and is expected to arrive in the city this evening. These services will be strictly private. It being the desire of the household that only the relatives and immediate friends of the family should be present. The remains will be taken to San Mateo, and the special train will convey them, together with the family and friends, at 1 o'clock, to the station at Third and Townsend streets. From there the funeral procession will go to the Masonic Temple, where the public services are to be held at 2 o'clock.

GAVE A DEED TO OAKLAND.

If Oakland be not indebted to Colonel C. A. Crocker for the title to Lake Merritt, this city is certainly indebted to him for saving expensive and lengthy litigation. When M. C. Chapman was Mayor the question of title to Lake Merritt was brought up and Colonel Crocker stated that he believed it was the property of the Water Front Company and that the title to it was vested in that corporation.

At that time Colonel Crocker valued the water part at $1,000 per acre and as there are probably not less than 200 acres in the lake, the gross value would be $200,000. Some negotiations were had and Colonel Crocker stated that the lake could be put to no other use than that of a water park so he presented to the city a deed, in which the Water Front Company forever relinquishes any right to the property that might be vested in them. No matter what conflict may now arise between the Water Front Company and the city, Colonel Crocker's action forever prevented any possibility of further litigation regarding the lake.

A REVIEW OF A FRUITFUL LIFE.

Mr. Crocker Advanced Rapidly Through Perseverance and Fortune

The following concerning Mr. Crocker was written by William H. Mills and was published in the Examiner:

Charles Frederick Crocker was born in the city of Sacramento, the capital of California, December 26, 1854. He was, therefore, at the time of his death, 43 years of age. His father, Charles Crocker, one of the most distinguished financiers and railway builders of his time, emigrated from Northern Indiana to this State in 1849. The elder Crocker was a native of New York, but removed with his father in boyhood across Northern Ohio and Northern Indiana into the northwest portion of the latter State. It was here he grew to manhood and his earliest commercial venture was in the manufacture of iron. The absence of economic communication between the different portions of the country forced upon every community the task of self-support. The high cost of transportation operated as a protection to the value of home products; but for the same reason the profit of the forge was dependent upon a home market in its most restricted sense. The stories of the fabulous riches of the gold mines in California made a strong appeal to the bold and enterprising nature of the elder Crocker and he joined the earliest Argonauts.

His commercial and enterprising instincts led him to choose a mercantile life as a career in his new home. He soon found himself at the head of one of the most successful commercial houses in the State. Three years later he returned to his former home in Indiana, returning again to California with his newly wedded wife the mother of the subject of this sketch. In 1860 he became identified with Leland Stanford, C. P. Huntington, Mark Hopkins and his brother, E. B. Crocker, in the construction of the overland railroad.

The career of the father in the field of enterprise upon which he achieved such eminence began when Charles Frederick Crocker was but six years of age. It is, therefore, dealing in fact, rather than metaphor to say that his earliest recollections were associated with the construction and operation of railroads. At the usual school age he entered the public schools of the city of Sacramento, which he attended until the age of 16. In 1870 he entered the University of Mount College and California Military Academy, where he remained until April, 1873. As conducive to his general health, which during the early manhood was not at any time robust, as well as in view of its educational advantages the summer of 1873 was occupied in a tour of the British Isles, Continental Europe, Egypt and the Netherlands. Returning to the United States in the fall of the same year, he entered the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, N. Y. Here he pursued his studies with diligence, but failing health, which threatened the loss of eyesight, forced him to retire from the school short of a graduation in June, 1875, and at the age of 21 he returned to this State. His failing eyesight admonished him that his student life was at an end and the first question which arose was the choice of a future career. He chose the occupation of his father and determined to identify himself with the great transportation interests of the country.

A RAPID ADVANCE.

At this time his father was one of the eminent railroad constructors of this coast. It is an additional evidence of the sound common sense of both father and son that the boy of twenty-one was not given the high-sounding official title which might easily have been commanded, nor placed as a hereditary figurehead in charge of some important department. His first employment connected with the railroad system of California was as clerk in the Division Superintendent's office at Oakland wharf. The position was in no sense a sinecure. He was required to perform the same service and received the same pay as like positions elsewhere. The details of operating a line of railroad as it can be seen only from the standpoint of the Division Superintendent became familiar to him. It was an apprenticeship in the most practical field of railroad operation. Having served faithfully in this position a second brief tour of England and Continental Europe was accorded as a well-deserved vacation. Returning, his first promotion was to the position of clerk in the general freight office at the general offices of the company in San Francisco, a position which afforded a clear view of the whole field of railroad operation in its commercial and economic aspect. In this position he discharged the full round of duties. As the prospective successor of his father's interests in the railway system of the Pacific Coast he was admitted to the directory and elected Third Vice-President of the Southern Pacific Company in 1885, the office having been created for him by the unanimous vote of the directors. Prior to this, however, his health appearing to demand relaxation and recreation, he made a trip to Japan and China, returning much improved.

On September 7, 1880 at the age of 26, he was married to Miss Easton, the estimable daughter of A. M. Easton and Mrs. Adelia M. Easton the latter the sister of D. O. Mills. Mrs. Crocker was a lady of rare accomplishments and strongly individualized character. To this happy union three children were born. His marital happiness was, however, of short duration and he encountered the first great and heartfelt bereavement of his life in the death of his beloved wife, which occurred February 25, 1887.

MADE VICE-PRESIDENT.

As the son acquired knowledge and competency in the general administration of the company's affairs the father began to withdraw his attention measurably from its more arduous duties and allow himself more of that well-merited leisure and retirement which his failing health so imperatively demanded. In 1888 young Crocker was promoted to the position of second vice-president. The position of third vice-president, which had been created for him would perhaps have lapsed into a sinecure but for the continued absence of the superior officers of the property. Leland Stanford, the president of the company, was frequently abroad in Europe. C. P. Huntington, the first vice-president and financial head, was located in New York. The constant expansion of the railway system gave to its financial affairs a primacy of importance which required the presence in the general financial office in New York of Charles Crocker, and thus Charles Frederick Crocker, remaining at home, the sole representative of the real owners hip of the property, became the resident managing director. Exigencies constantly arise in the management of the affairs of a great railway system requiring immediate decision. Even telegraphic communication with co-directors abroad cannot wholly relieve the local resident director of responsibility in the solution of important problems. Being on the ground he must act, and in acting must necessarily exercise a large discretion of judgment. His promotion, therefore, to the second vice-presidency was well earned. In this new and higher position came broader discretion of judgment. His official relation to the administration affairs of the company, however, was not the heaviest burden imposed upon him in the year of his promotion. On August 14, 1888, his distinguished father died, leaving to him as the eldest and most experienced member of the family primary charge of an estate valued at $24,000,000. The estate was inextricably interwoven with the railway system and its concomitant interests. It was, indeed, a vast property sustaining complex relations to other estates with a very large percentage of its value dependent upon the success of vast enterprises, the conduct of which demanded the largest administrative ability and the most experienced business sagacity. However active or real the official relations sustained by Col. Crocker to the affairs of the railway system and the varied interests of the estate to which he was in part prospective successor prior to the death of his father that event imposed upon him additional and more serious responsibilities. By the terms of his father's will he became, in co-trusteeship with his brother, William H. Crocker, trustee of the estate and by priority of age and experience its principal administrator. Thus to official function was added the augmented responsibility of increased personal ownership and the higher duties of a trust relation. Four-teen months later his beloved mother departed this life. Thus in three successive years he was bereaved of a wife, a father and a mother.

ANOTHER PROMOTION.

Upon the retirement of Leland Stanford from the presidency and the election of C. P. Huntington to that office, Charles Frederick Crocker became by the unanimous choice of the ownership the first vice-president and was fully vested with all the discretionary power the position implies. Thus at the early age of 36 he stood a full participant in the administrative responsibility of interests involving two hundred million dollars capital. Nor should it be forgotten that the advancement herein outlined was at the hands of men who stood among the foremost railroad constructors, operators and financiers of the age. The accident of relationship may afford opportunity for the achievement of oficial relation involving the discharge of great administrative duties, but such incidents do not go beyond the opportunity. In the discharge of functions connected with the operation of a great system of transportation employing hundreds of millions of capital and carrying millions in value of property and millions of precious lives, ability must be present if the position which accident may have conferred is maintained. Mr. Crocker's promotion may have been in a measure a concession to his prospective ownership of the property controlled, but to maintain any position in the executive department of a railroad system ability equal to the place must be manifested.

It is extremely doubtful whether a completely candid biography was ever written. At best the biographer adopts a partial view. If the portraiture is at the hands of friendship the warm colors of charity are applied. If by the hand of enmity the distortion of malice is present. "Paint me as I am," said Oliver Cromwell to the artist before whom he was sitting for a portrait. "If you smooth out one wrinkle or attempt the outline of symmetry where deformity exists I will repudiate the picture." The task of the biographer, however, differs from that of the artist. The former deals with intellectual and moral elements of character which elude exact measurements; the latter may invoke in his work the common rules of drawing and perspective. Cromwell was, perhaps less vain of his personal appearance than of his record as a statesman, and he could have anticipated the work of some of his biographers we are inclined to the opinion that he would have preferred less faithful portraiture. The verdicts of contemporaneous history and biography alike encounter distrust as to their impartiality, but there must exist somewhere between the Charybdis and Scylla of detraction and flattery a free and open channel of personal criticism, wherein a just estimate of our contemporaries may find unobstructed way.

A MAN OF CULTURE.

Personally Charles F. Crocker was below the medium height, with full, round form, which conferred the appearance of robust health and vigor. His manner was deliberate and readily invited confidence. His method of conversation was unrestrained, easy, and free of ostentation. His methodical habits of business were suggested by the obviously careful arrangement of his statements. When hesitating in the choice of words he never accepted that proffered by his auditor, but proceeded with his own selection and when it was put forth the auditor perceived that the hesitation was not the result of search for a missing word, but rather the deliberate choice between many words nearly synonomous in the mind. Mr. Crocker was well informed upon a great variety of topics. His taste in reading ran in the line of history, essay and contemporaneous literature. It was one of the charms of conversation with him that his opinions were original and real. This is referable in part to the absence of those attributes of character which constitute the politician. He was not assailed by political ambition. His opinions were, therefore, the real convictions of his mind. He was particularly familiar with the political issues of his own country and the leading ones of the world. He would have achieved a high degree of political success with great facility. Real influence resides in character. The faculty of attracting and holding the confidence of the masses of men has its root in the stability of friendship and the continuity of purpose we feel to possess instinctively a knowledge of what some men may do under stated circumstances and there is no deviation of confidence from real integrity and high purpose.

In thus retracing briefly the career of a young man born to fortune the writer is not unconscious of its departure from the monotonous features of American biography. Nearly all of our countrymen who have achieved sufficient eminence to justify the presentation of biographical sketches to the public have arisen from obscurity. The early disadvantages of our great men is the favorite theme of the eulogist. The contrast between the poverty and the obscurity in which their young life was passed and the ultimate eminence achieved by them is constantly dwelt upon. We share in the admiration for men who by the force of manly character have raised themselves from the obscuring levels of our common humanity to the summits of true greatness.

ATTAINED HIGH AIMS.

We share in the proud admiration for the broad liberality of American institutions which interpose no obstacle to the achievement of the highest distinction on every field of human activity. At the same time it should not be forgotten that it is less difficult to acquire a strong reliance and manly individualized character in the school where necessity is master than to acquire the more solid elements of manliness against the demoralizing tendencies of great riches. The way from poverty to wealth is much easier than from wealth to substantial character. The philosopher who said that men acquire wisdom in solitude but character in the stream of life has furnished a key to the success of men of eminence whose lives had their source in poverty and obscurity. Necessity confers self-reliance, concentration and earnestness of purpose. The man whose boyhood was passed amid the discomforts, the apprehensions and even the terrors of poverty, may readily refer the strength and tenacity of his character to its formative influence. Even the natural affections of the poor boy are powerfully enlisted on the side of his determination to rise from conditions which offend every aspiration from the commonest ambition to the dearest affection the human heart can know. When life begins in a complete competency or in great wealth there is no spur of necessity to prick the ambition of aimless exertion. The history of a thousand distinguished men proves that poverty is the great constructor of character while wealth is its most insidious destroyer. The consciousness that the means of the gratification of every desire are practically limitless has the poison of surfeit and the possessor of a great fortune in youth is beset by the danger of morbid tendencies. The ambition to acquire a competency is most worthy and if the most honorable place in life is in the ranks of honest industry, the most honorable place in these ranks belongs to him who, standing shoulder to shoulder with his fellow men in the great industrial army is there from choice not of necessity.

If Mr. Crocker did not achieve official distinction it is a high encomium to say that he did not seek it through a vain desire for public adulation. If it is said that in making his way he has occupied the vantage ground of great wealth it is a higher distinction to say that among all men of wealth he was the most unspoiled of millionaires. At the age of 43 he had achieved wealth, position, and high and honorable distinction among men.

CHURCH DIFFICULTIES.

Differences Among Catholic Priests Are Finally Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

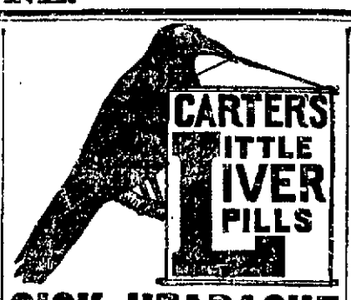
LINCOLN, Neb., July 19.—From the rostrums of the Roman Catholic churches in Lincoln it was formally announced yesterday that the differences existing for some time between Bishop Bonacum and several of his priests had been settled to the satisfaction of both factions.

The quarrel has extended over a period of five years and provoked some very animated scenes and discussions. At one time twenty priests of the diocese were in open rebellion against Bishop Bonacum.

The troubles grew out of the alleged tyranny of the Bishop in removing his priests in an arbitrary manner. At one time Bonacum was in the Police Court charged with criminal libel growing out of the excommunication of one of the priests.

The cases have been several times reviewed by the Papal delegates Satolli and Martinelli, once tried by a specially organized canonical court at Dubuque and once reviewed by the Vatican. In the final settlement both parties make concessions.

Fathers Fitzgerald and Murphy, the most aggressive of those in opposition to the Bishop, are well provided for. The former is given a good charge at Grafton and the latter will go to Seward, both Nebraska towns. Father Fitzgerald has also been offered the position of private secretary to Church Howe of Nebraska, who goes to Samoa as the representative of the United States.



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RAILROAD CHANGES.

Eastern Lines Will Be Propelled by Electricity in Future.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

Projected changes in the motive power of the three elevated railway lines of Greater New York and the New York, New Haven and Hartford steam surface roads have been announced. In the case of the New Haven road, the alterations have begun and the elevated roads await only the consummation of incidental plans to embark in changes of kindred type, which portend among other things, a revolution of the rapid transit system of New York.

The electric motor, driven by the currents of the third rail system, will supplant the steam engine on each of these roads. President Clark of the New Haven road, George Gould, Russell Sage and General Manager Francis Cleveland of the Manhattan and President Ullman of the Brooklyn Elevated road, are to be the patrons of the third rail system. Behind them is J. Pierpont Morgan.

PEACH CROPS FAIL.

The Eastern Market Is Much in Need of California Fruit

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Tribune from Baltimore says:

Boston and New York draw largely on the Delaware and Maryland peninsula for their supplies of peaches. From one hundred thousand to two hundred thousand baskets are shipped to those cities every season from the tidewater countries of Maryland.

Agents have just completed their estimate of the crop, and estimate that the yield will not be more than one-fourth that of last summer. The June crop in the orchards was unusually heavy, but the failure is largely caused by the ravages of the curculio, an insect that infests nearly every orchard in this great peach growing country. The same insect has done considerable damage in the Delaware and New Jersey orchards.

POLICE PICKINGS.

The cases of Fred Burchard and M. Silva, arrested for violating the ordinances prohibiting the driving of heavy teams over the boulevard, have been stricken from the calendar.

The case of Mabel Clark, convicted for vagrancy, has gone over till tomorrow for sentence. Judge Allen and Chief Lloyd thought at first of sending the woman to the Bethah Rescue Home, but Mabel was not willing to take the step. She has expressed a willingness however, to leave the city, and Judge Allen may suspend judgment.

The examination of Adolph Arnberg, who took Miss Anne Bosche to the Exposition Friday evening, and, according to the girl's story, criminally assaulted her on the way home has been set for July 22d. Arnberg has secured Hugh S. Aldrich to represent him. The bonds in the case have been fixed at $10,000, and Mr. Aldrich says he will have little trouble in securing bondsmen. The girl admitted to Officer Frank Gibson that she has been unduly intimate with other men, and the police put small faith in her story of Friday night's affair.

William Newman, who tapped the till of John X. Meier's saloon at Twenty-first and Broadway Saturday morning, will plead to a charge of petit larceny tomorrow.

Joseph Smith, who got drunk and thrashed a friend Saturday has pleaded not guilty to disturbing the peace and battery. He will be tried Wednesday.

A TELEGRAPHIC CABLE CONNECTING ALL POINTS OF IMPORTANCE ON THE GLOBE HAS A BRANCH WIRE IN THE TRIBUNE OFFICE. THE NEWS IS RECEIVED IMMEDIATELY AND NOT A DAY OLD.

Arms for Crete.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A dispatch to the Herald from Constantinople says: In spite of the presence of the European troops, the Anglo-Hellenic revolutionary societies keep sending agents and arms into Crete.

This must necessarily tend to delay the negotiations for peace.

Oaklanders Won.

The A. Jacobs & Co. baseball team defeated the Berkeley team yesterday by a score of 2 to 1.

The game was the most exciting played there for some time. There was very good playing on both sides, but the Jacobs & Co. team proved to be more than the home team's equal. The batteries were Jacobs & Co., Shaw and Baumgartner; Berkeley, George and Hayes. Umpires, Getz and W. Denny.

Old Schoolmates Meet.

Israel Horton and Captain John McMullen, who were school fellows at Yarmouth Nova Scotia half a century ago, met at Livermore yesterday for the first time in fifty years. Horton resides at Livermore, but McMullen is here on a visit.

Fire Fighters on the Heights.

Mrs. John Yule was the heroine of Boulevard Heights Saturday, when she directed the residents of the Heights in a long, desperate battle against a grass fire, which was started in her back yard, but which got beyond control. The residents finally won.

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THE TARIFF BILL GOES TO CONGRESS.

It Is Introduced in the House by Dingley Who Urges Its Passage.

REPUBLICANS ARE AGREED

They Finally Decide Upon the Questions in Dispute.

TEXT OF THE MEASURE.

Beet Industries Protected and Cotton and Jute Made Dutiable.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The House was crowded early today with members who animately discussed the new tariff schedules. Soon after assembling Mr. Dingley submitted the conference report on the tariff bill and made an effort to get the Democrats to agree to vote this evening, but they insisted on two days for debate and, without reaching any agreement as to when the vote should be taken, Mr. Arding took the floor and opened the debate in favor of the adoption of the conference report.

Mr. Dingley declared every day's delay was costing the Treasury $100,000. A volley of questions was fired at him as to the effect of the sugar schedule and Mr. Dingley insisted that under the Wilson law the sugar refiner had a differential of 22½ cents a hundred pounds against 12½ cents in the conference bill. The bill, he calculated, would raise the next year $225,000,000 or $75,000,000 more than the present law. Owing to anticipatory importations, it would raise only $185,000,000 this year.

He closed by predicting higher prices and a restoration of prosperity under the bill.

Messrs. Wheeler of Alabama and Swanson of Virginia, in behalf of the Democrats, attacked the sugar schedule of the bill and said the rapid advance of sugar stock in Wall street today was the clearest evidence of the benefits conferred on the sugar trust.

The impression in the House, based on statements made by House leaders, is that the tariff debate will extend late into the night, the Republicans intending to force a vote before adjournment.

THE TEXT OF THE TARIFF SCHEDULE.

Jute and Cotton Goods Are Placed on the Dutiable List.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The statement of the Republican conferees, made the following explanation of the effect of the changes agreed upon by the conferees in the schedules other than the sugar schedule:

Metals and manufactures of the reductions of duties on some forms of iron and steel proposed by the Senate are accepted in part as proposed and several new paragraphs as introduced not heretofore specially provided for.

Cotton ties, which were placed on the free list by the Senate are restored to the dutiable list at a reduced duty of five-tenths of one cent.

Tin plates are placed at the rate of duty provided in the bill as it passed the House.

Structural iron is reduced one-tenth of one cent.

The Senate amendment (270) on pocket knives, which is substantially the same as the paragraph passed by the House, is agreed to and a compromise rate is adopted on guns.

AN INCREASE ON LEAD.

The House agrees to the Senate amendment (316) increasing the duty on lead ore to 1½c and the duty on pig lead (321) is placed at 2 1-8c.

Nickel ore and nickel matter are left on the free list as provided by the House.

Wood and manufactures of wood—All sawed lumber except sawed timber exceeding eight inches square is left at the rate of 2c per 1,000 as provided by the House. Planed lumber is also placed at the House rates.

Tobacco and manufactures of—The duty on wrapper tobacco is placed at $1.85 per pound, a compromise between the House rate of $2 and the Senate rate of $1.75 and the Senate reduction on filler tobacco is accepted

Chemical schedule—Amendments No. 11 and 43 restore argols and chicle to the dutiable list at the rates provided by the House.

Amendment 12 places bleaching powders on the dutiable list at the rate of one-fifth of one cent per pound as provided by the Senate.

Amendment 104 increases the duty on soda ash from one-fourth of one cent as provided by the House bill to three-eighths of one cent as provided by the Senate amendment.

Number 92 reduced the duty on cyanide of postassium to 12½ per cent ad valorem as provided by the Senate.

Number 108 restores crude sulphur to the free list. No. 110 leaves Tonka beans and vanilla beans on the free list. Nos. 3 and 14 raise the duty on borates as provided by the Senate. Several amendments on lead paints, adjust the rates to increased duty on lead.

The other amendments in the chemical schedule concur with the Senate in slight reductions of rates on many chemicals and other articles including linseed, olive oil and coal tar dyes and an increase of the rates on camphor and ground drugs.

CROCKERY IS DUTIABLE.

Earths, earthenware and glassware—Crockery ware is restored to the duties provided by the bill as it passed the House which are substantially the duties of the act of 1890.

Glassware is left in the main at the rates provided by the House bill, the reductions being in paragraphs relating to bottles, molded and pressed glassware and cylinder and crown glass.

Cement (116) and (117) is left at the duty provided by the House.

The duty of $1 per ton on gypsum, rock No. 118 proposed by the Senate is reduced to 50c and the duty on ground and calcined plaster raised to $2.25 per ton. China clay No. 127 is left at $2 per ton as provided by the House.

The duty on Fuller's earth (132) is slightly increased, but left at a lower rate than proposed by the Senate.

Marble (190) is placed at the increased rates proposed by the Senate.

Agricultural products—A compromise between the House and the Senate rates in cattle (371) is agreed to.

In general the duties proposed on agriculutral products are the same as those in the act of 1890.

Orange and lemons are raised from the House rate of three-fourths of one cent per pound to the Senate rate of one cent.

Fish are placed at rates a little higher than those which were provided by the act of 1890 and a little lower than the House rates.

Spirits, wines, etc.—The Senate rates on spirits, wines, etc., are adopted in the main.

Cotton and cotton goods—The duty of 20 per cent on imported cotton, as proposed by the Senate, is not agreed to for the reason that the only cotton imported is Egyptian cotton, which is a quality not produced here. The cotton schedule, as a whole, remains substantially the same as in the bill passed by the House.

A DUTY ON JUTE.

Flax, hemp and jute manufactures—The Senate changes in flax and hemp are adopted. Compromise rates on manufactures of jute, flax, etc., are agreed to, the object being to develop the industry in this country.

The Senate amendments to place burlaps, bags, cotton bagging and straw mattings on the free list are disagreed to and the manufactures placed on the dutiable list at reduced rates.

Wool and woolens—The House rate on wool of 11 cents on class 1 and 12 cents on class 2, are adopted and the Senate specific rates on carpet wools are agreed to, with a modification raising the dividing line so as to place a duty of 4 cents per pound on such wools valued at 12 cents and less and 7 cents on such wools valued at more than 12 cents.

The duties on manufactures of wool are placed at substantially the same rates as in the act of 1890.

Silks—The duties on silks remain at substantially the same rates as provided by the House.

PAPER AND PULP.

Paper and pulp—The duties on wood pulp for paper and on paper are converted into specific form at substantially the present ad valorem with a proviso added for an additional duty as against any country that imposes an export duty on pulp or woods. The duties on manufactures of paper are substantially as they passed the House.

Sundries—This schedule remains substantially as it passed the House.

Coal, however, is reduced 67 cents per ton and coal slack or culm to 15 cents per ton, as proposed by Senate amendment 674.

A duty of 15 per cent is placed on hides of cattle which were placed on the free list by the House. The Senate amendment 598 proposed a duty of 20 per cent, but this has been reduced to 15 per cent. A proviso is added for a full drawback of the duty paid on hides subsequently exported as leather.

Paintings and statuary for private use are made dutiable as provided by the House at 20 per cent.

THE HOUSE FREE LIST.

The free list—The free list as it passed the House is in the main adopted except that bolting cloths and several kinds of essential oils have been added.

The House provision applying a remedy to the wholesale introduction of goods into this country free of duty by Americans visiting Europe is substantially adopted.

REGARDING RECIPROCITY.

Reciprocity provisions—The House and the Senate reciprocity plans are united and adopted with modifications. In the Senate plan any commercial treaty must be approved by Congress before it goes into effect and in the House plan, chicle, silk laces, sugar, mineral waters and hides have been stricken out and Tonka and vanilla beans added.

The Senate provision imposing an equivalent countervailing duty on imports from foreign countries which have paid an export duty is adopted.

TAX ON CIGARETTES.

Internal Revenue provisions—The Senate provision increasing the internal revenue tax on cigarettes is agreed to with an amendment covering cigarettes wrapped in tobacco and provisions to enforce the collocetion of tax.

The Senate amendment changing the law so as to allow no rebate on beer is agreed to.

The Senate provision for a stamp tax on the issue and transfer of stock and on bonds issued by corporations is omitted from the bill.

The administrative sections added to the bill by the Senate are substantially the same as those passed by the House in the Fifty-fourth Congress and are agreed to with slight amendments.

THE SUGAR SCHEDULE IS COMPLETED.

Protection Is Given to the Beet Industry as Provided by the House.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Republican conferees made public a statement concerning the conference report in which it reviewed the changes made. Of sugar the statement says:

"The House differential between raw and refined sugars and the general features of the House schedule are preserved and the Senate amendments increasing the differential to one-fifth and providing for a reduction of one-tenth of the duty on raw sugars, not above 87 degrees, which would have given a duty of $1.39 on 88 degrees sugar and only $1.26 on 87 degrees sugar, are not adopted.

In deference to the wishes of those interested in beet sugar production, that the Senate rate of $1.95 on refined sugar might be retained as an increased encouragement to this industry, the duty on raw sugars is increased seven and one-half hundredths, so as to make the increase on them the same as the increase on refined sugar and thus leave the differential between raw sugar and refined the same as in the House bill. And to meet the objection which has been urged that the House rates on low grade sugar show a higher ad valorem than those on the higher grades, the duty on 75-degree sugar is reduced five-hundredths of one cent and then the duty per degree increased regularly three-hundredths (as proposed in the House bill), to three and a half hundredths in order to raise the duty on raw sugar the same as on refined.

"By this arrangement the duty on raw sugars of 100 degrees purity is raised from $1.75 (as proposed originally by the House) to $1.82½.

"The duty on refined sugar is raised from $1.87½ (as proposed originally by the House) to $1.95, thus giving the same differential of twelve and a half hundredths between raw and refined sugar as this point was originall ygiven by the House.

"As this arrangement will increase the revenue over two millions of dollars and at the same time give additional encouragement to the production of sugar in this country, it is thought to be a desirable consummation."

The paragraph in relation to sugar in full is as follows:

"Sugars not above number 16, Dutch standard in color, tank bottoms, syrups of cane juice, melada, concentrated melada, concrete and concentrated molasses testing by the polariscope not above 75 degrees, 95.100 per pound and every additional degree shown in the polariscope test 35.1000 cent per pound additional and for fractions of a degree in proportion; and on sugar above Dutch standard in color and on all sugar which has gone through the process of refining, one cent and ninety-five hundredths of one cent per pound; molasses testing above forty degrees and not above fifty degrees, three cents per gallon; testing fifty-six degrees and above, six cents per gallon; sugar drainings and sugar sweepings shall be subject to duty as molasses or sugar as the case may be, according to polariscopic test. Provided that nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to abrogate or in any manner impair or affect the provisions of the treaty of commercial reciprocity concluded between the United States and Hawaii on January 30, 1875, or the provisions of any act of Congress heretofore passed for the reception of the same.

The conference restored the House rate of 20 per cent on sugar cane. Saccharine is made one dollar and fifty cents per pound and ten per cent ad valorem.

The confectionery paragraph is changed to read as follows:

"Sugar candy and all confectionery not especially provided for in this act, valued at fifteen cents per pound or less,

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WAR IN THE AIR.

Russia Takes a Hand in the Trouble With the Turks.

A VERY THREATENING DEMAND

The Immediate Evacuation of Thessaly Is Now Ordered.

TROOPS ON THE FRONTIER.

All of the Powers Excepting Great Britain Will Join the Czar.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

BERLIN, July 19.—According to a special dispatch received here the Czar has telegraphed the Sultan demanding immediate evacuation of Thessaly and threatening that otherwise Russian troops will cross the Turkish frontier.

It is said here, semi-officially, today that all the Powers except Great Britain have consented to this course.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 19.—The Ambassadors have informed the Porte that they wish a written declaration as to the intentions of the Turkish Government which have hitherto been communicated orally by Tewfik Pasha.

The Ambassadors have stated that if this is not forthcoming they will suspend the peace negotiations and refer the whole matter to their respective governments with a view to adopting coercive measures.

The terms of the Turkish Government as submitted to the Ambassadors by Tewfik Pasha on Saturday, not only proposed a change of frontier but fixed the amount of indemnity at four and a half million pounds. Turkish, and renewed the demand for abolition of the capitulations granted the Greeks subjects in the Ottoman Empire.

This is regarded as clear proof that the Ambassadors of the powers will be unable to effect any thing by mere diplomatic negotiations.

DEATH UNDER THE WHEELS.

Little Wilhelm Hansen Is Killed by a Cart.

Little Wilhelm Hansen, aged seven years, while playing on the reach under a sprinkling cart, fell under the wheels and was run over and instantly killed at noon today.

The driver was Mike O'Ryan.

The accident occurred on East Fifteenth street, near Twenty-third avenue.

The injured lad was taken to the office of Dr. Moutoux, where efforts were made to prolong life, but without avail.

The Coroner was notified and took charge of the remains.

The unfortunate boy was the son of Hans Hansen, and lived at 1253 Twenty-fifth avenue.

SUGAR TAKES A WILD JUMP.

Great Excitement in the Stock Market Over the Tariff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—There was wild excitement in the sugar crowd on the Stock Exchange this afternoon as the result of the news from Washington concerning the tariff bill sugar schedule. Dealings were on an enormous scale and by leaps and bounds the stock rose to $1.44½, whence it fell back to $1.42½. In the general list also there was a burst of activity and buoyancy. Commission house purchases were large, the shorts covered heavily and values advanced in all the leading railways and other securities.

The week opened with a bullish feeling in the ascendancy, sugar being conspicuous with sensational features, consequent on the sugar schedule in the tariff bill.

Sugar opened with simultaneous sales of 2,500 shares at from $1.36 to $1.38. A rise to $1.39, a new high record quotation, quickly ensued, making an extreme improvement of 5¼ per cent over Saturday's close.

Trading in the specialties was on an enormous scale, blocks of 1,000 to 3,500 changing hands frequently. The general market developed considerable strength with purchases of standard shares stimulated by a higher range of London quotations.

The advance was retarded for a brief interval by a flood of realizing orders which depressed sugar to $1.37½ with a subsequent recovery to the top figure. The appearance of commission house orders in the low-priced shares soon steadied the market and caused moderate rate improvements generally.

Covering of shorts was quite a strengthening factor in the general speculation with the inquiry very marked for the high-priced industrials and leading railways.

The bond market shared in the general strength and established decided improvements in numerous issues on large dealings.

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WELBURN ON THE RACK

Evidence That He Stuffed His Monthly Pay Roll.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—Ex-Collector of Internal Revenue, O. M. Welburn, appeared before United States Commissioner Heacock today for preliminary examination upon the charge of embezzlement preferred against him by Special Agent Thrasher. The testimony proved to be unusually sensational and disclosed a state of affairs wholly unexpected by Welburn's friends.

It was shown by W. H. Dillard, the colored messenger, employed in Welburn's office, that at the instance of his employer he had signed the name of E. C. Aiken to the salary checks for each month from September last until March of this year. These signatures were modelled upon genuine signatures furnished by Welburn.

Chief Deputy Louis Loupe had subsequently acknowledged each signature under oath.

Aiken swore that he only received $25 per month for his services, although he was on the pay roll for $1,000 per annum; that he had not authorized any one to use his signature.

Owing to the illness of Loupe a continuance was granted until Tuesday next.

ENDED HIS LIFE WITH A SHOT GUN.

A San Jose Official Shoots Himself to Avoid Disgrace.

A Shortage in His Accounts the Motive for the Deed.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN JOSE, Cal., July 19.—J. E. Pruett shot and killed himself this morning under circumstances which tend to the belief that he committed suicide.

He was a native of California, 44 years old, and leaves a widow and two children. He told his family that he was going to clean his rifle and hunt in the mountains today. A few moments later a shot was heard, and his body was found on the floor of the cellar with the right side of the head blown off. The rifle lay near by, with only one exploded cartridge in it.

Pruett has been a deputy and collector for a number of years under Assessor Spitzer. He has made no settlement of this year's work, and his books are not in the office and have not yet been found. He told Spitzer that he would settle up this morning. Spitzer now says he owes the office, so far as known, $300 to $400, but his affairs are in such confusion that the facts cannot be ascertained until his books have been experted.

He was a member of the real estate firm of Swigert & Pruett, and widely known.

WRITING WANTED FOR EVIDENCE.

A Crafty Turn in the Now Noted Craven Case.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—When the trial of the Augus-Craven case was resumed before Judge Slack today, Mrs. Nettie Craven was requested by Attorney Wheeler to write certain words at his dictation in pencil upon the margin of a contract similar to that already in evidence; and then attempted to try the experiment again with a softer pencil and in a smaller hand; but the court sustained the objections of her counsel to this method of procedure, and she escaped this trying ordeal.

This crafty piece of evidence was secured for the purpose of rebutting Mrs. Craven's statement that she did not write the pencil words on the margin of the contract which Aitken refused to sign; and once admitted in evidence, it was promptly exhibited to the jurors together with the original contract.

MINERS ASK CONGRESS FOR PROTECTION

Mineral and Land Laws Should Be at Once Enforced on the Yukon.

BOUNDARIES IN DISPUTE.

Late Gold Discoveries May Affect the Silver Question.

MORE FABULOUS DETAILS.

Many Believe That the Mines Are Luckier Than They Acknowledge.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

The increasing number of gold seekers in the Yukon Basin, not only in the Clondyke region in British Columbia, but in Alaska also has impressed officials of the Government in Washington anew with the necessity of re-inforcing the agencies of the Government in the latter. From Circle City, on the Yukon, during the last few months, have come the most urgent appeals and demans to have the mineral land laws of the United States extended over the surrounding region and it is probable that in his first annual message to Congress Secretary Bliss of the Interior Department will approve the recommendation of Commissioner Herrmann of the General Land office that this be done, and also that a fully equipped local land office be established at Circle City. Of course neither of the things can be done until after authority has been given by Congress. Among members of that body a strong indisposition has been manifested for the extension of the Powers and agencies of simple government over Alaska ever since acquisition of the territory thirty years ago.

POSSIBLE TROUBLE MAY ARISE WITH BRITAIN.

Gold Developments Revive the Old Question of National Boundaries.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the World from Washington says:

The possibility of serious international complications between the United States and Great Britain as the result of the recent gold discoveries in Alaska has become apparent to the State Department.

Senator Davis of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee has been requested to secure the immediate ratification of a treaty for determining the boundary line between Canada and Alaska in order to lessen the probable difficulty.

Chairman Davis has announced his intention of calling this treaty up for action at the next executive session of the Senate. There is said to be no objection and prompt ratification is expected.

ALASKA DEMANDS THE ATTENTION OF CONGRESS

Remarkable Conditions Said to Exist in the City of Guineau.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—In the course of a recent conversation, Representative Lacey of Iowa, who was chairman of the Committee on Public Lands in the last Congress, said:

"I suppose that one reason no legislation has been had to remove some of the anomalous conditions which exist in Alaska and because the Committee on Territories had its time fully occupied with other matters, and the Committee on Public Lands has not thought it expedient to take action in regard to land legislation there until after some further general legislation respecting the government of the Territory has been enacted. Our committee, however, did recommend the passing of a bill for the establishment of a land office at Juneau and the House passed it, but the Senate did not act on it.

Juneau is a town of several thousand inhabitants, some 3,000, I believe, and I am informed that it is a thriving place, containing a number of substantial brick buildings, for business purposes, and so on, and that all the improvements stand on the public lands of the United States, the owners being simply squatters. I am also informed that there is no legal authority to levy and collect taxes, or for officials to receive and disburse such taxes if collected. Whenever money is needed for any public purpose, the hat is passed. I have always been averse to legislation providing full fledged territorial government for Alaska with a delegate to Congress and so on, but conditions there appear to have been changed rapidly during the last two or three years and it is possible the time has come when the subject ought to be dealt with by Congress."

It is not improbable that Major Lacey will visit Alaska after the adjournment of Congress and try by personal investigation and observation what legislation in regard to the public lands in that Territory would be expedient and wise, in order to meet existing conditions.

ALASKA'S GOLD MAY EFFECT SILVER PROBLEMS

Senator Allison Says He Does Not Think Enough Yellow Metal Exists.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Quite a number of statesmen were asked what will be the effect of the Alaskan gold discoveries on the silver question. Most of them were inclined to the belief that the possible production of the new gold country had been greatly exaggerated for the benefit of the transportation companies and local supply companies. Senator Allison, when asked about the situation said: "If the product of gold in Alaska is really enormous it would, of course, tend to approximate the value of gold and silver, but the output would have to be unprecedented to have much effect, for our output of gold is very large, you must remember."

Another authority said without hesitation that there could be possibly no effect upon the monetary situation unless the discoveries of gold were so stupendous as to take gold out of the list of precious metals.

He explained the situation by saying: "Speaking in round numbers, the gold product of the world from the discovery of America until now is about $8,000,000,000. The actual coinage of gold now amounts to about $4,000,000,000. There are $2,000,000,000 approximately used in the arts, but obtainable for coinage purposes. Therefore it will be seen that there is about $6,000,000,000 worth of

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THE TAXES TOO HIGH

Supervisor Church Says That the Assessments Are Very Burdenson.

SYMPATHY FOR THE FARMERS.

Over a Million Cut From the S. P. R. R. and Allied Corporations.

ALAMEDA AND OAKLAND LINE.

Straightening Out the Assessment of the Oakland Gas Company.

The County Board of Equalization reassembled this morning at 10 o'clock. All the members were present.

The reading of the minutes of the session held last Saturday consumed an hour and fifteen minutes, Clerk Jor- showing twenty-eight -written matter. The -shed with a great deal the members of the of whom seemed anxious votes recorded correctly. Clerk's work was done in a master- manner and was commended by the members.

After the minutes had been approved, the Supervisors assembled. The minutes of the last two meetings were approved. On motion of Supervisor Church the Board adjourned till tomorrow at 10 A. M.

The Board of Equalization then reassembled and the first matter considered was the application of the Oakland Water Company for a reduction of the assessment of its franchise to a dollar.

Mr. Roeth moved that the assessment be reduced to $1 and that the County Assessor be requested to notify the Assessor of San Francisco of the fact with the view of having the franchises assessed in that county where the principal place of business of the company is located. He said he wanted to have the same thing done in the case of the Oakland Water Company as was done in the case of the Contra Costa Water Company.

Supervisor Church said that there were four franchises and he moved an amendment that the franchises each be reduced to one dollar. He also moved that each application be considered separately.

Mr. Roeth said that that was contained in his motion, as his motion was the same as was used in the case of the Contra Costa Company, because in that matter there were three applications and in the question under discussion, there were four. He declared that the minutes would show that such was the case.

The minutes were referred to and the chair declared that the word "each" did not appear in the record of the case.

CONTRA COSTA AGAIN.

Mr. Church then moved that the vote on the Contra Costa case be reconsidered He temporarily withdrew the motion and the amendment suggested by him to Roeth's motion as regards separate action on all the applications of the Oakland Water Company was put and carried The original motion as amended was carried, whereupon, on motion of Mr. Roeth, the applications of the Contra Costa Water Company were considered seriatim. In each instance the assessment was reduced to $1, at the suggestion of Mr. Roeth and was referred to the Assessor of San Francisco for assessment there.

The same action was taken with respect to each of the applications of the Oakland Water Company.

ALAMEDA AND OAKLAND ROAD.

Consideration of the Alameda and Oakland Street Railway applications were resumed. Superintendent Fisher took the stand. The line, he said, was operated as a system. Certain franchises had to be segregated owing to stipulations in the franchise. Two of the branches, High street and San Jose avenue, had run behind The amount of the deficit he did not know, but could find out by looking at the books The main line was operated under nine franchises.

Mr. Roeth moved that the figures of the two branches in question be produced by Mr. Fisher by 2 o'clock this afternoon and that the case go over till that time.

The motion was not seconded.

Mr. Fisher then reported a part of the testimony which he had given Saturday as regards the paying of interest on the bonds by the earnings and the assessments of the stockholders

Mr. Fisher said that the line in Alameda was paralleled by steam trains, which carried people free and that that kind of accommodation greatly interfered with the receipts of his company.

WELLS' RESOLUTION.

The following resolution was introduced by Supervisor Wells:

"The State Board of Equalization, having raised the county of Alameda 5 per cent on the assessed valuation for 1896, and the author of this resolution believing that it will again raise this county to 15 per cent for the year 1897, and believing it to be an act of justice to the residents and taxpayers of this district, who he believes are now paying more than their just proportion of the taxes of this county now offers the following:

"Resolved, That the Board of Supervisors of Alameda county, sitting and acting as a Board of Equalization, having duly considered the matter of the assessment of property in the townships of Washington and Murray hereby orders and directs that the assessed valuation of property in said two townships be reduced 15 per cent for the year 1897 excepting only such property as has already been reduced upon personal application to this Board."

Mr. Wells said he would like to have the resolution referred to the District Attorney for an immediate opinion.

The request was complied with and Mr. Snook gave an opinion that no reduction of the assessment could be granted unless upon application and evidence in support of the same were filed and advanced.

resolution of Mr. Wells was tabled.

Supervisor Wells said he had introduced the resolution because he knew that there were hundreds of farmers in his vicinity who were not able to come help to make an application and remain around a couple of days in order to have it acted upon. He knew of hundreds of them who were compelled to sell chickens, cows and horses in order to pay their taxes when they come due. He had introduced the resolution, knowing that the State Board of Equalization would increase the assessment and he did not want to have the farmers pay a heavy assessment and then pay an advance upon the amount.

Supervisor Church said that he concurred in the resolution which had been introduced by Mr. Wells because there was no place in the county which needed a reduction so much as the farmers of which were in such poor condition as the farmers of Murray and Washington Townships. He knew it from experience.

Mr. Roeth renewed his motion that Mr. Fisher produce the figures in the case of the San Jose and High street electric lines in Alameda and the matter was continued until this afternoon.

ALAMEDA WATER COMPANY.

The application of the Alameda Water Company then came up. The company was represented by Dr. Wellendorf, the superintendent, Theodore Wagner, the local attorney at Berkeley, and E. W McGraw, the general attorney. The application was a most detailed one, showing a large number of lines of water mains of all sizes, reservoirs, realty and structures of various kinds.

Dr. Wellendorf said that pipes had been down in the ground for many years. They had corroded and had become almost worthless. They were not worth half of what they were when they were new and it would not pay to dig them up The realty owned by the company was mainly hill property and of little use for any purpose save that to which it was being devoted. A large reservoir belonging to the company was in Contra Costa county. Mr. Dalton asked if there was any person present representing the company, who could tell what is the value of the reservoir across the county line None of the gentlemen referred to could answer the question

The Perryman reservoir, which holds 20,000,000 gallons of water, was assessed at $25,000. The summit reservoir had a capacity of 33,000,000 gallons, and was assessed at the smaller figure.

Mr. Church in the chair, wanted to know if the Supervisors were satisfied that the principal place of business of the company was in San Francisco

Mr. Roeth said that the articles of incorporation showed that such was the case.

At the request of Mr. Dalton, Attorney McGraw said he would telegraph to the Assessor from San Francisco the cost of all the reservoirs owned by the company.

The matter was then continued.

The total amount of the company's assessments is $196 675, and the company's valuation is $129,636.

THE GAS MATTER.

The Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company then came up.

Mr. Dalton testified that certain property of the company had escaped assessment.

The following signed by John A. Britton was then read by Clerk Jordan: "The Oakland Gas Light and Heat Company, by its duly authorized secretary, hereby waives notice of an application to assess certain property that has escaped taxation, as appears upon the application filed by the Board of Equalization by Henry P. Dalton as Assessor of Alameda county, on the 19th day of July, 1897."

A resolution was then adopted authorizing the Assessor to make the corrections with respect to the failure to assess.

The application of Leopold Lasser was called up. Lasser appears to be suffering from an affliction of the eyes. He owns the old Deiger home, which was assessed at $4,000.

After the applicant had set forth his case Supervisor Church moved that the reduction be granted and stated that the man was afflicted as was apparent, and that the reduction ought to be made. He felt that way out of sympathy for the applicant.

Supervisor Roeth said that if they were sitting as a Board of Equalization they should act as a Board of Equalization. If they were sitting as a Board of Reduction they should reduce assessments and sit as a Board of Reduction. He didn't believe that these matters should be disposed of by sympathy but on facts because how many other persons were there who were unable to pay their taxes for other reasons than those applicable to the applicant.

Mr. Church then said that he stood ready to reduce assessment of the taxpayers of the county on their application because the assessments are too high

Mr. Mitchell moved to reduce the assessment from $4,000 to $3,000 and the matter prevailed, Roeth and Wells voting in the negative.

A recess till 1 o'clock was then ordered.

This Afternoon

The Board reassembled at 1 P. M.

J. A. Bilz of Pleasanton asked for the reduction of his assessment from $3,175 to $1 500 It was shown that Bilz property fronts on two streets.

Mr. Mitchell moved that the application be denied. The motion was seconded by Supervisor Church.

Mr. Wells moved to amend by reducing the amount to $2 000.

The motion as amended prevailed.

Superintendent Fisher of the Alameda & Oakland Electric Line then gave the receipts and expenditures of the High Street San Jose Avenue branch lines in Alameda, as asked for before the noon recess, the showing was as follows High street line, receipts, $3,575, expenditures, $3,723, deficit, $148; San Jose Avenue, receipts, $7,374, expenditures, $7,461, deficit $87.

Mr Church then moved that the assessment on the main line through Oakland be reduced from $43,150 to $40,000. Mitchell seconded the motion. Roeth compared the assessment and showed that while this road was over four miles in length, the assessment of the Telegraph avenue line, which was only about half the length was of about the same figure. He said that the request be denied Church's motion prevailed. Church, Talcott and Mitchell voting in the affirmative and Roeth and Wells in the negative.

The assessment on the franchise from Webster street bridge to Seventh street was reduced from $7,500 to $2,500 by the same vote.

The assessment for a part of the Park avenue track, was reduced to $1,000 from $2,500 by the same vote.

The assessment on the franchise running from the Southern Pacific Railroad through Oakland was reduced to $12,000 from $25,000 by the same vote.

The assessment on the franchise across Webster street bridge, at $1,000 was sustained unanimously.

The assessment on the road from the middle of Webster street bridge through Alameda at $33,750 was denied, the company's valuation being $17,965. Two votes were in the affirmative.

The assessment on the loop was reduced from $12,350 to $10,000 by the votes of Messrs. Church, Mitchell and Talcott.

The assessment of the track on High street, was reduced from $1,000 to $600 by the same vote.

The main line franchise was reduced from $25,000 to $18,000 by the same vote.

The franchise from Park street to the city line of Oakland was reduced from $5,000 to $3,000, by the same vote.

The High street loop franchise was reduced from $5,000 to $2,000 by the same vote of three to two.

THE CHANGES MADE IN RAILROAD ASSESSMENTS

The following table shows the changes made by the Board of Equalization in the assessment of railroad property:

PROPERTY.	Assessed 1897.	Reduction asked.	Granted.
Central Pacific Railroad—			
180 acres tide lands	$ 18,000	$ 1,800	$ 900
Ferry depot broad gauge mole	150,000	85,000	115 000
Improvements long wharf	15,000	7,000	12 000
38 acres Oak and Point	277,250	171,000	277 250
Improvements	38 950	26,000	38,950
3¼ miles railroad and rolling stock	175 000		
40 miles side tracks	60 000		
Franchise	250 000	10	10
8,000 feet long wharf	250,000		
Northern Railroad—			
2 50-100 miles, Berkeley	62 500		
Franchise	50,000	5	5
Oakland Railroad Co.—			
2 4-10 Electric R. R., Tel. and Humboldt	43 350	15 125	43,350
Franchise	9,000	2,000	2,500
28-100 miles cable San Pablo franchise	6,000	1 000	6,000
2 9-100 electric railway, water front	40 950	11 500	40 950
Broadway and to N line city, franchise	71,000	10,000	70 000
2 35-100 miles cable road N line of city, and franchise	92 [illegible]	47 000	47,000
1 14 100 electric road, Humboldt ave., through Berkeley	15 200	5,700	2[illegible] 5 0
23-100 mile additional	2 525	1,300	2 525
Franchise	8,000	1,000	1 000
35-100 cable road San Pablo and Park	11,750	3,500	3 500
South Pacific Coast Railroad—			
2½ miles horse car line, Newark and Centerville	2 500	500	2 500
Real estate	1 000	500	1 000
Improvements narrow gauge mole	45 000	25,000	25,000
Northern Railroad Co.—			
1 30-100 miles, Shell Mound to Berkeley	40,000		
Franchise	25,000		
	30 750	5	5
	19,250		
Oakland Water Front Co—			
439 27-100 acres marsh	129,100	65 000	129,100
Pacific Improvement Co—			
449 89-100 acres marsh	134,225	65,000	134,225
Southern Pacific Railroad—			
¼ mile gravel pit, Niles	300		
¼ mile wine cellar, Irvington	400	5	5
Side tracks at Newark	1,500		
Totals	$2 075 025	$ 741 900	$1 037 425

avenue of $7,650 was allowed to stand.

An unused track in Alameda had the assessment reduced from $1,000 to $500 by the votes of Church, Talcott and Mitchell

The franchise on the same was reduced to $500 from $1 500.

On cars, machinery, etc, the reduction was from $38,505 to $35,000 by the same vote

The total assessed valuation of the Company was $214 750 The assessment as equalized was $167 850.

THE GAS COMPANY

John A. Britton was allowed to make application, out of order, for a reduction of two franchises, one for gas and the other for electric lighting, by the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co. He wanted the gas franchise reduced from $25,000 to $10,000

ALAMEDA WATER COMPANY.

Mr. Church moved that the application of the Alameda Water Company be denied save as to its franchise and that that be placed at $1.

Mr Roeth moved to amend by reducing the assessment on the Garber reservoir from $25,000 to $10,000.

Mr. Church's motion prevailed, all save Roeth voting in the affirmative.

HIGHLAND PARK ROAD

Receiver Rudolph of the Highland Park and Fruitvale road made a plea for a reduction of the assessment He said that the road is in the hands of a receiver and that he had had it only four months

Pending an inquiry into some franchises of the road, another road was taken up.

Saturday Afternoon.

After the report of The Tribune on Saturday afternoon last, of the County Board of Equalization had closed, the assessment of the Southern Pacific Company and that of associate corporations was taken up.

The first feature was the tract of land at Oakland Point, comprising thirty-eight acres, assessed at $316,200. The company asked to have the assessment reduced to $17,500. The motion was denied by the votes of Messrs. Mitchell, Talcott, Roeth and Wells in the affirmative and Church in the negative.

A motion to reject the request was made by Mr. Roeth.

Supervisor Church said that Roeth had been croaking around about equalizing property assessments and now he wanted to have an assessment of $6,500 per acre fixed upon property when the surrounding land was not assessed for half that amount.

Roeth said, by way of reports, that the land in question was valuable because of the place in which it was located and that only a few days before the Supervisors had refused to reduce the assessment on neighboring property which had been assessed to the San Francisco Savings Union at about the same figure as that of the yards in question.

The reduction of the assessment from $134,225 to $65,000 on 449 89-100 acres of marsh lands owned by the Pacific Improvement Company was denied by the following vote

Ayes—Mitchell, Roeth, Wells, Talcott.
Nays—Church.

WATER FRONT COMPANY.

The reduction of the assessment on a tract of marsh owned by the Oakland Water Front Company, from $129,000 to $65,000, was then considered. The company in question as also the Pacific Improvement Company and a number of other people have an undivided interest in the property. Mr. Roeth referred to this fact as also to the fact that the others interested were assessed in the same amount as the companies mentioned. He moved therefore, that the request be denied

Supervisor Church said he believed the assessment unjust and he did not believe in assessing some people unjustly simply because other people saw fit not to make a kick.

Superintendent Roeth said that they already had something of a lock before them. It was said that of Mr. Borden who had appeared for the Artesian Water Company and who had said that his company also had an interest in the land and that he was satisfied with the assessment unless the amount on other holdings should be decreased in which event, he would like to be remembered in the mater.

The motion to deny was sustained by the following vote:

Ayes—Mitchell Roeth, Wells.
Nays—Church, Talcott.

Superintendent Church then wanted to learn from Assessor Dalton whether the property in question were the property of the Oakland Water Front Company, which was in contention and had caused so much litigation.

Mr. Dalton at first did not understand the allusion.

Then Supervisor Church asked if the property of the Oakland Water Front Company was on the assessment roll.

Mr Dalton said that it was not on the roll.

Supervisor Church wanted to know why it was not on the roll.

Mr. Dalton replied that it was not on the assessment roll because the courts thus far had decided that the property in question belonged to the City of Oakland.

Supervisor Church asked if the Supreme Court had decided in that way.

Mr. Dalton said the Supreme Court had not as yet decided the case but that the matter had been brought up before it and that it had been argued, and that it was still before the Court.

Supervisor Church then remarked that the Supreme Court was the highest tribunal and that it had not so far given a decision in the case.

Mr. Dalton replied that all the decisions thus far had been in favor of the city.

The assessment of the yards of the Narrow Gauge at Alameda Point was reduced to $10,000 on motion of Supervisor Mitchell, who was supported by Church, Talcott. The Assessor's figures were $18,000 and the company's figures were $1 800. This represented a raise over the company's figures of $8,800

On the Broad Gauge ferry depot, a reduction from $150,000 to $85 000 had been asked, and on the improvements at the end of Long Wharf from $15,000 to $7,000 The figures which stood were $115,000 for the depot and $12,000 for the improvements at Long Wharf, by the votes of Messrs. Church, Mitchell and Talcott.

The assessment of $3,500 against the horse freight and passenger road from Newark to Centerville, was not changed.

There was a unanimous vote in favor of reducing the assessment on the Narrow Gauge ferry depot from $45,000 to $25,000 for the reason that it was shown that the building would soon have to be replaced.

STREET CAR LINES.

The request to reduce the assessment on the Telegraph Avenue Electric line from $10,050 to $11,500 was denied.

The assessment on the San Pablo Cable Line was reduced from $72,225 to $27,000 on the showing that the road was soon to be replaced by an electric service. There was a reduction in the value of the franchise from $71,000 to $50 000

In connection with the discussion of the assessments of the two streeet lines mentioned was read a letter from F. S. Douty, the secretary and treasurer of the Oakland Railroad Company to the effect that the net earnings of that Company comprising the San Pablo and Telegraph avenues were for 1896, $1,30,-315.55 and the expenses were $133,385.18, showing a deficit of $3,071.63.

Reference was then made to the fact of an omission on the rolls regarding the Oakland Gas Light & Heat Company. Mr. Britton, the Superintendent said he did not desire to take any advantage of it and waived the five days required and the District Attorney was instructed to bring in a resolution on the subject at the meeting which was announced for today.

OAKLAND WATER COMPANY.

W. J. Dingee, president of the Oakland Water Company then appeared and was accompanied by Judge Frick as counsel. Mr Dingee was sworn and in answer to questions by his attorney said that the original articles of incorporation of the Oakland Water Company had never been amended The articles in question were produced. Mr. Dingee's attention was directed to the third article which was in effect that the principal place of business of the company was in San Francisco.

Supervisor Roeth addressing Mr. Dingee, said that it seemed that all the big corporations were moving to San Francisco and he asked if there was any reason why they should move there.

Supervisor Mitchell said that they might move back

Mr. Dingee said there was no particular reason why they should move there

Mr. Wells said that the question was the same as that disposed of in connection with the Contra Costa Water Company's franchise and he suggested that similar action be taken in this instance and that the Assessor of San Francisco be notified that the property of the Company is assessable in that county. He then remarked that he was sorry that a company which derived all its revenue from Alameda County should pay its taxes in San Francisco.

Supervisor Church said that he was sorry also.

Supervisor Talcott amended to the effect that the documents on the subject which were of legal character should be submitted to the District Attorney and the matter was continued with that end in view until today.

THE ALAMEDA LINE.

Then the request of the Alameda & Oakland Electric line came up for consideration

Superintendent Fisher took the stand and testified that the estimate placed on the value of the road was based on the worth of the material in the road bed. "The condition of the road," he said, "is fair. The road has been in use about three years. It is mostly double track. One fifth is single track. In the first item, there are about 4½ miles, three-quarters of a mile of which is single track. The poles are of iron, with the exception of a few. There are 81 poles to a mile Poles are estimated at $15 a piece. They are in fair condition The rails are of forty-pound compound. They are a light rail. The wire for a single track with fittings costs about $230 a mile. The price of wire per pound is ten cents. There are 1,635 pounds of wire to a mile of single track. The road was assessed the same last year as it is this year. The cost of a double mile of track is figured at $15,000; of a single track, a little more than half that sum. The road is wearing out. I have no idea of the amount that had been expended in repairs. The road had depreciated 75 per cent in the past three years. It takes money to keep the road in good repair I don't think the road is in a first-class condition. There are $287,000 in bonds, drawing 6 per cent interest. The road last year, fell a little short of paying operating expenses The assessment was about $214,000. No extensive repairs have been made lately. All that is being done is simply to keep the road in operation. If the road were put into first-class condition, all the crossings would have to be replaced and the old switches removed. I can not tell whether needed repairs have been neglected in order to enable the payment of the interest on the bonds."

As regards the franchise, Mr. Fisher said that he based his idea that the franchise was worth $2,500 because of earnings of the road. The gross earnings of the road were about $100,000, and the operating expenses were between $83,000 and $84,000. The exact value of a franchise could not be determined, but he thought that $25,000 was nearer to the value than $7,500, the amount of the assessment.

The Board then adjourned until this morning.

ORDERED TO HALT

Five Hundred Striking Miners Stopped by Armed Men.

THEY OBEY THE COMMAND.

The Men Are Encamped Within a Short Distance of the Guards.

VIRGINIA WORKERS GO OUT.

Agitators Are Stirring the Men Up to Make a Stand.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CANONSBURG, Pa., July 19.—About 500 striking miners from the Miller's Run district passed through town today headed by a brass band and drum corps. A halt was made at the mines of the Canonsburg Coal Company, where they were met by armed deputies and ordered to keep off the company's property.

They halted in a vacant lot near by and sent committees over to the mines to gather together the miners. The mines of this company closed down today to await the decision of the miners employed there. There are a few inclined to strike, but there is no prospect of a general strike.

After holding a meeting here the strikers moved up the valley to the mines of Cook & Sons, where they were met by deputies heavily armed, and were ordered to keep off the company's property. The mines there also closed down to let the men meet the strikers and decide whether or not to strike.

The mine owners are paying 69 cents and say the men have no reason for striking, except out of fear of violence. They will resume as soon as the men are ready to go in.

The striking miners are camped about the Cook mines. No fear of violence is felt here.

THREATEN TO BREAK THE STRIKE UP.

Operators Are Prepared to Put the Men to Work Again.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

PITTSBURG, Pa, July 19.—Unless the miner's leaders are able to get the West Virginia diggers out early this week, the local strike situation promises to grow very interesting about the last of this week and to come to a crisis next Monday morning.

As indicated in the Associated Press dispatches last night, several of the local operators have announced that they are tired seeing their contracts get away from them and that the mines now supplying their trade must be stopped on their own mines will be put into operation. The district executive board of the miners has been notified as above by a score of most important operators.

All depends on Pittsburg, and unless Pittsburg is able to shut down the West Virginia mines, it is probable that the strike will be broken before there is a chance to complete the arbitration uniformity arrangement. The miners admit that should any of the big mines of the district, now idle, be put into operation a majority of the other diggers of the district would return to work at once.

The Pittsburg operators have lost part of their very best shipping season and it has been necessary to turn their contracts over to operators in West Virginia and in the central Pennsylvania fields to be worked until the strike is over.

The prospects of a long strike and the possibility of it lasting until their contracts have all been filled, stirred the operators to action. They propose to get together and start one or two of the important mines in case the West Virginia expedition of the labor agitations in unsuccessful.

They are to unite in an effort to get enough men to man one or two of the big mines, get a large force of deputies and begin turning out coal for the lakes

Part of the plan is to pay the miners 70 or even 75 cents, if necessary, to get them to work. It is not thought there will be much difficulty in getting men at that price and that after one or two mines have been gotten under way there will be no trouble in other mine owners getting started at that figure.

If the West Virginia men are still at work Wednesday agents of the local companies will go on a skirmish for men. At the same time application is to be made to the sheriff for a large force of deputies. Sheriff Lowry has a large number of men ready to be sworn in on short notice.

The miners' officials are banking everything on the ability of the labor organizers to get the West Virginians out. They say that in case the operators do try to transfer the fight to this district, all the forces now at work in West Virginia will be brought into this State and put to work.

FARMER BOYS OPERATE MINES.

A Novel Scheme to Supply Coal Is Now in Rogue.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, July 19.—The executive Committee of the United Mine Workers is in session here. Those present are J. M. Carson of Illinois, Joseph H. Kennedy and G. Knight of Indiana, W. E. Farms of Ohio and Patrick Dolan of Pittsburg. Other members may come later. The consultation is private.

Secretary Pearce says there is no doubt the Fairmount region will be out by Thursday.

John Bogue of Ansted, W. Va., on the Chesapeake and Ohio Road, says the only thing that keeps the mines there open is the fact that the operators have been in the habit of giving a miner control of four or five rooms with liberty to employ his help.

He employs farmers' sons, making a good profit off their labor, and when mining is dull the boys go back to the farms.

VIRGINIA WORKERS JOIN THE STRIKE.

Several Hundred Miners Are Forced to Walk Out.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

FAIRMONT, W. Va., July 19.—As a result of yesterday's meeting at Tree Grove, 225 miners refused to work this morning. The drivers, being in sympathy with the miners, refused to haul and consequently the rest of the miners who had gone to work were compelled to come out.

About sixty miners at Pritchard after hearing the news came out and the rest will follow.

Hutchinson, Luther and Palatine were the next to come and all the men with the exception of those at Hite and the Shaft mine will soon be out.

Eugene V. Debs arrived here this morning and will hold a meeting at Monogah at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Operators here are surprised at the result of yesterday's meeting and great excitement prevails.

WILL NOT HIRE OUTSIDE HELP.

Old Employees Can Go Back to Work Whenever Ready.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CLEVELAND July 19.—From a statement made this morning by Receiver Myron T. Herrick, the inference is drawn that Superintendent Roby of the Dillonvale Mine spoke without authority when he informed the strikers that their places would be filled with new men if they did not go to work by Monday morning.

"We do not intend to put in new men just at present," said Colonel Herrick, "if any of our old men want to go to work we will protect them. Our men, the majority of them, at least, were perfectly satisfied with their condition and did not want to strike, but were persuaded into doing so by outsiders."

THE TARIFF BILL GOES TO CONGRESS.

(Continued from page 1.)

and on sugars after being refined when tinctured, colored or in any way adulterated, four cents per pound and fifteen per cent ad valorem, valued at more than fifteen cents per pound, fifty per cent ad valorem. The weight and the value of the immediate coverings, other than the outer packing case or other covering, shall be included in the dutiable weight and the value of the merchandise."

DEMOCRATS SCHEMING TO BEAT THE BILL.

A Majority of One May Be Secured in the Senate.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The Senate after assembling went into executive session for over two hours and on reopening the doors, the conference report on the general deficiency bill was agreed to.

The Harris resolution in regard to the Union Pacific railway was taken up and Mr. Morgan (Dem., Ala.) continued his speech on the subject. He read a letter from a correspondent saying that in the manipulations of the stock the large shareholders have been protected while smaller holders had been frozen out. This was about to be done again.

He hoped the President would defer action in order to enable Congress to look into the matter.

Mr. Harris (Kansas) hoped a vote would soon be had.

Mr. Thurston gave notice of his intention to discuss the subject in the future.

Mr. Stephen (Nev.) then took the floor.

Some of the opponents of the tariff bill made a hasty canvass of the Senate during the executive session of the Senate today and expressed the opinion that it was impossible to defeat the conference report by one majority, if a Senator is appointed to the Tennessee vacancy.

To secure this, however, all the Democrats, including McEnery, who voted for the bill, all those who refused to vote either way, including Stewart and Mantle, and Silver Republicans who voted for the bill will be necessary, so that the prospects are against the success of such a move.

REPUBLICANS CALL IN DEMOCRATS.

The Conference Members Urge That Matters Be Speedily Settled

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON July 16.—The Republican members of the Tariff Conference Committee called in the Democratic members at one o'clock this morning. Among the Democrats there was a disposition to allow Republicans to have their own way and make a report at once so that debate in the lower branch of Congress could proceed this afternoon.

Before the full committee met the Republican members held an hour's consultation at which they affirmed their signatures to the conference report.

When the bill was submitted to the Democrats, the Republicans said they would report their bill today.

The Democrats were given an opportunity to sign the conference report and withdraw for consultation among themselvesselves as to whether or not they would sign.

Will Be Operative at Once.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—The new tariff bill is to become operative immediately on its being signed by the President.

ENGLAND FEARS THE UNITED STATES.

Sir Charles Dilke Says the Relations Are a Grave Question.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LONDON, July 19.—In the House of Commons today in the course of the debate on the foreign office vote, Sir Charles Dilke, Radical, said: "The gravest foreign question at the present moment, grows out of our relations with the United States and if the matter is not dwelt upon, it is because the Government is conscious that in these difficult matters, it cannot count upon the support of the entire House."

A BIG FIELD FIRE.

Thousands of Acres of Grain in Danger Near Red Bluff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

RED BLUFF, Cal., July 19.—It was thought this morning that the brush fire was under control but news has just reached here that it has broken out anew, has crossed Reed's Creek and is raging west and south at a rapid rate.

As there are large wheat farms in that part of the country, great fears are entertained that the damage will be immense, as the fire will sweep the entire western portion of the county.

It is now almost certain that its origin was incendiary and officers are on the track of the perpetrators

Sweden's Tariff.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHRISTIANA, July 19.—The Customs Committee of the Storthing has adopted a report proposing the introduction of differential tariff duties, and a report proposing duties on several agricultural products and giving greater protection to small manufacturing interests.

Transfer of Property.

A deed has been filed with the County Recorder by which Mrs. Sarah J. Taylor, H. M. Taylor, Bertha I. Foote and W. W. Foote transfer certain lots in Berkeley and Temescal to W. H Taylor The consideration is $5. It is understood that Taylor represents a real estate syndicate. Forty-two lots are transferred.

Tonight's Council Meeting.

The milk ordinance will come up for final passage at the Council meeting tonight.

The Council will meet first as a Board of Equalization but will adjourn to meet in two weeks.

Auditor Snow has not yet turned the city books over to the Board and will probably not be able to do so until the annexation question is settled.

Mr. Snow will not assess the annexed district till he is mandamussed to do so.

The Mother Lost.

Letters of guardianship were this morning granted to Mrs. Lull S. Holmes for the custody of little Hollis Bernice Simpson. The child's mother has made a hard fight to retain her child. Her opponent has been her sister, Mrs. Holmes. Three witnesses were examined this morning before Judge Ogden. All testifying to the good character of Mrs. Holmes.

A Demurrer Entered.

The case of the East Oakland Railroad Company against City Treasurer Gilpin to restrain the latter from selling the company's property for taxes was called this morning in Judge Ellsworth's court. The case was continued until 3 P. M. this afternoon. The case came up on Gilpin's demurrer.

The Bacon Case Again.

Tomorrow morning has been set by Judge Ellsworth as the day for the hearing of the case of Bacon vs. Bacon. Some sensational details are expected when Mrs. Frank Bacon of Alameda is placed on the stand and tells how her husband has failed to maintain her.

Teachers' Warrants.

City teachers can now obtain their salary warrants for June at County Superintendent Garlick's office.

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McBRIDE—In this city, July 17, 1897, John Howard McBride, aged 34 years, 10 months and 7 days.

GANNON—In this city, July 17, 1897, John H. Gannon, a native of Ireland, aged 41 years.

KOSTER—At the County Infirmary, July 19th, Herman Koster, a native of Germany, aged 42 years.

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July 21st—Royal Eagle Social Club.
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The Clondyke diggings have been appropriately named "The Land of the Golden Fleece," judging by the list of prices charged for the necessaries of life.

The residents of Dawson City say they are anxious to have all kinds of business established there. Wonder what kind of patronage and ice cream saloon would get.

Brazil's fanatical Messiah evidently deals in futures only. His creed certainly cannot permit the reviewing of past records, in view of the fact that he murdered both his wife and mother.

The direct importation of fruit and produce into Oakland is proving a great success. Our merchants are at last waking up to the fact that by utilizing our harbor facilities they can not only make more money but get a better grip on the home trade.

The carbolic acid suicide craze is on an astonishing increase. It is hard to fathom why so many choose such a horrible and agonizing way to meet death when there are so many other pleasanter methods of "crossing the river."

Creede's riches seem destined to go the route followed by the estates of all millionaires who die in California. The lawyers have succeeded in starting a fight and by the time they have plucked the goose there will be little left but pin feathers for the original heirs.

The British millionaire, who recently announced on his arrival in New York that he had come to America to search for a bride is said to have received 1,000 letters from Chicago alone. Most of them have forwarded photographs—not full length ones, of course, on account of their feet.

If the Prison Directors really desire to gratify Durrant's desires to be photographed by the animatoscope, why not postpone the event until the occasion of his hanging. The views taken that day would be as great an attraction as those now being exhibited of the Corbett-Fitzsimmons mill.

New York is sneering at Chicago again and calling it a wild Western city. This has all been occasioned by the fact that during the recent insufferable hot spell a large number of the male Chicagoans went about town in their shirt sleeves. This has shocked the refined residents of the home for Tammany.

The Southern Pacific is evidently determined to make this a notable year in its history. In addition to safely transporting an army of 30,000 delegates to and from the coast, its engineers have twice broken in one week all the records between San Francisco and Ogden. This speaks well for the condition of the road-bed.

Cleveland can be President again if he wants to be. This statement need not startle politicians, because it has no reference to sphere. Grover is to be tendered the presidency of the University of Virginia. Ever since he got that degree of LL. D. he has been going to the front in educational circles as easily as if he deserved it.

THE BIG STRIKE IN THE EAST.

The strike of the coal miners has brought to the public attention some important facts as to the effect of the Wilson tariff law upon this industry. The Wilson law reduced the rates of duty on coal 35 cents per ton, it having been 75 cents per ton under the McKinley law and reduced to 40 cents per ton under the Wilson law. Curiously, though, President Ratchford of the United Mine Workers' Association states that the wages of miners have been reduced about 35 cents per ton since 1893, the very year in which the free-trade Congress met and began framing the Wilson act, which reduced duties 35 cents per ton.

The moment the Wilson law passed, coal from the Nova Scotia mines began invading the markets on the Atlantic coast, especially New England, and drove out of those markets the Virginia coal, which had always found an outlet at fair prices. This West Virginia coal was thus compelled to seek a market in competition with the coals of Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Kentucky. The result was a sharp competition, a fall in prices, a ruinous rate war, not only between mine owners, but also between the railroads, and as a consequence a reduction in the wages of miners.

Thus the very low wages of the coal miners of the country who are now striking for an advance are directly and logically traceable to the operation of the Wilson law. The pending bill restores the McKinley rates on coal, and after it gets into operation, it is hoped, result in improved conditions and wages for miners as well as others.

A FOOLISH POLICY.

Some of the coast counties, notably San Luis and Santa Barbara, are trying to establish the English preserve system. They have passed ordinances prohibiting the shipment of game out of their respective counties, the point advanced being that it will keep the game for home consumption. "This is a blow," says the Santa Barbara Independent, "to the market hunters of San Francisco, who send agents into the hills of Santa Barbara county and kill off quail and ducks in large numbers. Other counties have similar ordinances with good results."

A more absurd policy can scarcely be conceived. There is no hunting possible in San Francisco county, and it must have game for table consumption, and is willing to pay for it, and pay liberally. The counties that are passing these restrictive ordinances, therefore, are keeping money out of their own pockets and diverting it to their neighbors, for it is not probable that the plan they have adopted will become general. That the movement is receiving considerable local opposition, too, is evidenced by the following editorial in the San Luis Obispo Tribune:

"The new game ordinance prohibiting shipment out of the county, does not meet with hearty endorsement in every section of the county. In the San Jose valley, more particularly around Pozo, there are quite a number who assert that the new ordinance does them a great injustice. They claim that in the past, as a means of livelihood, they have followed the hunting of game for shipment to San Francisco. There is any abundance of game in that section and it is to the interest of the farmer to have it killed. The sportsmen in that section are disposed to present petitions asking the repeal of the ordinance."

The editor of the El Dorado Republican has conceived a novel way of getting all the news of the community for a mere song. He offers $5 weekly for the person who sends in the best five items of actual news events occurring during the current week, the editor having the privilege of publishing the non-prize winners as well as the successful ones. In this way the whole country is not only scoured for news, but his paper is in demand by those who want to see if their effusions are printed, and consequently its advertising value increases. And all for $5 a week.

Japan might as well quit trying to bluff America about Hawaii. If the islanders really intend to attempt what they have hinted at in the protest forwarded to our Secretary of State they will ere long find themselves set back into a deeper oblivion than the one from which they have already emerged. And if Spain wants to join hands with them, well and good—while we have our war-paint on we may as well kill two birds with one stone and gather in both Cuba and Hawaii.

Professor Andree, who has just started in his balloon for the North Pole, sent a telegram as he was about to embark conveying his "warmest greetings" to his country and friends. Anything of the advanced temperature he alludes to he had better take with him, as he will need it all in the frozen zone.

The Berkeley papers are making merry over the following item: "The fire on the hills drove the mosquitos in swarms into Greater Oakland." The hilarity looks ill-timed, for on the face of it the item shows that Berkeley is the abiding place of the sleep-destroying pests.

The special days at the Exposition are giving the outside districts excellent opportunities to assert themselves. The annual fair has at last broadened out into the scope originally intended—it is no longer a local affair, but one thoroughly representative of the entire county.

Regarding the certain advance of wheat, Dun & Co says: "Europe is expected to have to import 100,000,000 more bushels than last year and neither India, Australia nor Argentine is expected to be able to supply its usual share."

The Contra Costa News has been distinguishing itself by issuing a souvenir number illustrative of the resources of that county. It was a very neat and well-edited production, and does credit to the leading journal of our sister county.

North Berkeley is determined to get street car accommodations. If the overtures being made to the present companies fail, a bonus is to be offered to induce local capital to undertake the enterprise.

THE POET'S CORNER.

The King and the Queen.—

The King was in the counting house,
Counting out his money;
The Queen was in the parlor,
Eating bread and honey.
Oh why could not his majesty
Have graciously bestowed a
Nickel on her majesty
To buy an ice cream soda?

—Detroit Journal.

A Gigantic Paradox.—

Oh, what a helpless lot we are
In this old world of woe!
It is the very worst by far
That we can ever know.
Each mourns because those plans of his
Are made to call a halt;
His failure to reform life is
The other people's fault.

There never was a mortal yet
Who didn't say he had
Emotions of intense regret
Because this world is bad.
But somehow man can find no way
Its standard to exalt;
The individuals all say:
"It's other people's fault!"

—Washington Star.

My Favorite.—

I did not back the crimson,
I did not back the blue,
The red and white were naught to me,
And yet I love each hue.
For oh! she wears the crimson.
Upon her lip it lies,
With red on cheek and white on brow,
And blue in laughing eyes

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Stricken With a Sunstroke.

Charles Austin of Livermore was stricken with sunstroke while working in a threshing crew on the ranch of Amos Clark.

He was first stricken Tuesday and on the first night of his illness, went into violent convulsions. He was taken to Livermore in a cart which broke down en route and Austin had to be carried the remaining distance. He will probably recover.

THE FIFTH IN CAMP.

The Beauty of Santa Cruz Falls Captive Before its Noble Mien.

OAKLANDERS LEAD THEM ALL.

Surgeon-Major J. P. Dunn Is Bravely Toiling at His Post.

VETERAN ELLIS TO THE FRONT.

Much Hard Work, but Time for a Daily Round of Diversion.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

CAMP SHAFTER, Santa Cruz, Cal., July 18, 1897.—The "Dandy Fifth" has completely captured the seaside city. Nothing is now considered correct unless it be military. Colonel Fairbank's regiment arrived in town Saturday at midnight on a special train over the Narrow Gauge road.

The trip down was a very enjoyable one and all along the route the soldier boys were the recipients of hearty cheers.

At San Jose, Company B, the pride of the Garden City was taken on board the train. A large crowd of their fair admirers was at the depot to see the boys depart.

Company A of Oakland, under command of Captain C. T. Poulter and First Lieutenant E. G. Hunt, and Second Lieutenant James Vaughn has over fifty men in camp. The same is true of Company F also of Oakland which is under command of Captain C. L. E. Wenk and First Lieutenant Cobbledick and Second Lieutenant Covalt.

The regimental band also from Oakland is a feature of Camp Shafter and is under command of Major A. D. Whitlock.

This year the camp has been located on the large level tract of land just north of the bath houses and adjacent to the beach. The historical battle ground of Tripe Hill, which was made famous by the Division Encampment of 1885 had to be overlooked this time as a camp site. The cause is briefly explained—Tripe Hill has developed into a magnificent building site for comfortable homes.

The advance guard of the Fifth Regiment which came down on Thursday did its work well under command of Lieutenant Hendy and as a result, Camp Shafter, with its myriad of snow white tents presents a most war-like appearance.

The United States War Department has detailed Captain Carrington of the regular army to attend Camp Shafter and to make a full report of his observations.

Attorney R. B. Tappan is in camp as a high private of Company G of Alameda.

Musician Hermann of Company A makes up in voice what he lacks in height. Oakland's vociferous auctioneer will have to look to his laurels or else "Hermann the great" will outclass him.

Captain Elliott of Company D is a disciplinarian of no mean ability. On Sunday morning after arrival in camp refreshing sleep seemed to be out of the question, but Captain Elliott as officer of the day, routed all the noisy lads in true military style. He placed them all on picket duty and in a few minutes the proverbial pin could be heard to drop.

No encampment would be complete without Sergeant Charles Ellis, the veteran guardsman and member of Company A. Charlie is easily distinguishable at parade, for his manly breast is literally covered with medals, mostly earned for valiant service.

At inspection of quarters this morning the ceremony was conducted by Captains Rottanzi, Carrington and Elliott and Hospital Steward G. R. Painter.

Among the Oakland people in Santa Cruz are H. A. Glines, Officer Sill, J. O'Connor, A. Nicolotti, Mrs. Hermann, Mrs. Peterson, Miss Sternisky, Mrs. Joseph, Mrs. Captain Wenk, Mrs. Beigner, Mrs. D. Strong, Mr. and Miss Gerrish, Major J. P. H. Dunn and Corporal F. D. Moore arrived on the noon train and went into active service immediately.

At dress parade this afternoon the wealth and beauty of Santa Cruz turned out en masse to witness the interesting event. Companies A and F of Oakland went through the ceremony with clock-like precision.

This evening a sacred concert is to be given at headquarters by the regimental band, under direction of Leader McBain.

Tomorrow camp life in earnest begins and hard work can be expected by the guardsmen.

The daily calls at Camp Shafter are as follows:

First call reveille, 5:30 A. M.; reveille, 5.45 A. M.; breakfast, 6:15 A. M.; police call, 7 A. M.; sick call, 7:30 A. M.; inspection camp, 7:45 A. M.; drill, first call, 8 A. M.; drill, assembly, 8 15 A. M.; recall, 10 30 A. M., first sergeant's call, 11 A. M.; lunch, 12 M.; parade, first call, 4:45 P. M.; parade, assembly, 5 P. M. Guard mount immediately following parade; dinner, 6.15 P. M.; retreat, sunset; tatto, 10 P. M.; taps, 10:30 P. M.

F. L.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Prosecuting Attorney H. A. Melvin and Mrs. Melvin and family left yesterday for Oregon, where they will remain a month.

A. A. Moore Jr. has returned from his outing at Lake Tahoe.

Mrs. Addison Goodrich has returned from a week's visit in Los Gatos as the guest of Mrs. Nellie Waller.

E. E. Goodrich has come down from Santa Clara on a visit to his family in this city.

The five-year-old son of Professor E. F. Burrill of the High School is dangerously ill.

Mrs. Clavin C. Childs and daughter Beatrice are visiting Mrs. Childs' parents in Hillhurst, Washington.

Miss Lucy Michalis of Woodside, San Mateo County is the guest of Mrs. W. A. Moore.

Mrs. J. P. Maxwell has returned from a visit with her brother, Mrs. Schultz in Colusa County.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kent have entertained Judge Venable of San Luis Obispo during the last week.

Stephen Story, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. O'Rourke, Miss Lydia McMenomy, Miss Mildred Lumsden, Miss Emalita Moffett and Miss Edith O'Rourke are making a camping trip through Lake County.

Joseph J. Rosborough has gone to Sonoma County today for a week's outing.

Miss Virginia Goodsell is entertaining her cousin, Miss Kate Goodsell of Omaha, Nebraska. Miss Goodsell will remain for the summer.

Miss Sara Whitney will leave for Paris on the Twenty-ighth. She will be the guest of Mrs. F. M. Smith and family at Shelter Island and will spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Havens at Sag Harbor, Long Island.

Mrs. T. E. Brigham and children are staying at the Raymond Hotel, Los Gatos.

Mrs. A. W. Kirkland of Los Gatos has returned from a visit in this city and San Francisco.

Mrs. Mary Dillman of Alameda is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Cooper in Campbell.

Miss Winifred Morgan has returned from a pleasant visit in Colusa.

H. C. Taft left yesterday for a six weeks' trip to New York.

Miss Blanche Perkins is visiting J. F. Wehmeyer and family in Campbell.

Mrs. J. Brady, Misses Marguerite and Alice Brady left Saturday evening for Napa, where they will spend the summer.

J. Weston Russell of Deadwood, Dakota, is spending a month with his father, J. M. Russell of 1580 Webster street.

Mrs. L. M. Moore of Montpelier, Indiana, is spending a month with her sister and uncle, J. M. Russell of 1580 Webster street.

Mrs. M. Blanchard and family of Stockton are the guests of Mrs. H. M. Ward in this city. They will remain for a month.

Mrs. J. S. Smith and Miss Amelia Smith of Stockton are spending two weeks in Berkeley.

Miss Elsa Rooney of Stockton is visiting friends in this city.

Miss Geraldine Rivers is the guest of Miss Sadie Oullahan in Stockton.

Miss Nellie Edmundson of San Jose is visiting in this city and San Francisco.

Mrs. Frederick and Miss Lena Redington were the guests of Mrs. J. W. Harenstein in San Jose last week.

Mrs. Fred Garretson is the guest of Mrs. S. W. Gilchrist in San Jose.

Miss Maude Crichton is spending two weeks at the Hotel de Redwood.

Company A of the Fifth Regiment will give their first grand ball Thursday evening, August 5th.

Senator Fred S. Stratton has returned from his outing at Mt. Shasta.

Miss Margaret Jolliffe has returned from Siegler Springs.

Miss N. Camer Kent entertained the members of Lambda Theta Phi Fraternity at an informal tea last week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Hall leave today for a trip through the mountains. They will probably go as far as Lake Tahoe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Phillips have returned from Pacific Grove.

Misses Jean and Florence Hush have returned from a trip to the various summer resorts.

J. J. Valentine, accompanied by Miss Ethel and Master George, is spending a month in the Sierras.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Holt, Miss Grace Holt and Miss Louise Simmons have returned from their outing at Mill Valley.

Mrs. Seth Mann chaperoned a party of picnickers to Lake Chabot last week, her guests being Miss Harris, Miss Cliff and Miss Judson.

Miss Sophie Newlands sailed Saturday from Jersey City on the steamer Phoenicia for Edinburgh, Scotland, where she is to marry Professor Neustadt of that city.

Attorney Sam Bell McKee is at Lake Tahoe.

Dr. and Mrs. Edward Von Adelung and Miss Borland are spending a week at Ben Lomond and Santa Cruz.

Attorney Clarence Crowell is visiting with Judge Sam Hall at his summer home near Felton.

Misses Gage, Misses Anita and Pauline Lohse and Miss Florence Walker have returned from Villaremi, where they have spent some time as guests of Miss Kate Chabot.

Thomas McGowan and Mrs. May Skinner, both of this city, were married at San Rafael last Sunday. They will make their home in North Oakland.

Mrs. Cumbers gave a party in honor of the twenty-fourth birthday of her son, Charles Cumbers, last Sunday. Those present were Mrs. Cumbers, Jessie Wood, Lena Wanna, Ethel Cumbers, Charles Cumbers, Alfred and Archie Tapsen and Alfred Cumbers.

Miss Florence Sharon gave a charming dinner party Friday evening in colonial style, in honor of Miss Sara Whitney, who leaves shortly for Paris. Invitations, costumes, tables and even the amusements were after the quaint fashion of colonial times.

Captain and Mrs. Fletcher entertained a number of friends on board the "King Edward" last Saturday. Those present were: Captain Storm of the British ship Kimilebank, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bryden, Mr. and Mrs. G. Orton, Misses Senlick, Lizzie Senlick, Annie Rogers, Dixon Mewnil, Annie McLeod, Margaret Bryden Slicer, Messrs. Dias, John Eadie, L. G. T. Dixon, William Twaddle, H. G. Whittle, McCaren, Mr Stark (first mate of the Hallwood), Mr. Holden (first mate of the Rathdown), Mr. Brown (first mate of the Trafalgar) and others.

A silver wedding of peculiar interest to all present was that of Joseph Whipple Congdon and Mary E Bartlett Congdon at the home of George C. Bartlett on Chestnut street. It was also the occasion of the twenty-seventh birthday anniversary of their son, George Congdon. Both the Cangdons and Bartletts have interesting historical family connections. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George B. Allen. Mrs. Congdon wore a beautiful peach bloom silk, which she had worn as a bride twenty-five years ago. The mother, brothers and sisters were all present, forming a complete family reunion. Many were present who have been associated with the families at interesting points in their lives. Two poems were read. Many beautiful presents were received by Mr. and Mrs. Congdon.

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Last and all the time Hood's Sarsaparilla has been advertised as a blood purifier. Its great cures have been accomplished through purified blood—cures of scrofula, salt rheum, eczema, rheumatism, neuralgia, catarrh, nervousness, that tired feeling. It cures when others fail, because it

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By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

W. D. Robinson of Meredian, Miss., has been in the city several days in consultation with the officials of some of the principal life insurance companies. His object is to bring to light the facts in a conspiracy to defraud insurance companies by insuring invalids and when disease failed to hasten the death of the victims by means of poison.

The scene of the conspiracy is said to be laid at Kemper county, Miss.

Mr Robinson estimates the operation of the conspirators given after conferences with the New York Mutual Reserve, the New York Life, the Equitable and the Mutual Benefit of New York, is as follows:

"Policies in which the members appeared as beneficiaries, 100; number who died by disease, 30; number who died by poison, 12; number whose lives were attempted, 15; cancelled, 60; amount cleared and divided by the plotters, $75,000; still to be paid and divided, $15,000."

In this connection the Journal and Advertiser reviews the operations of Dr. W. H. Lipscomb of Scooba, Miss., now under sentence of death for the murder of H. C. Stewart; Guy Jack, a Mississippi merchant, indicted for murder by the grand jury, and out on bail and other Mississippi citizens.

The Journal and Advertiser claims that the ramifications of the conspiracy in the South to be practically endless.

PREPARING FOR TROUBLE.

The United States Navy Is Being Centred in Prospect of War.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: With a view to have available for immediate service as many of the ships of the navy as possible, Secretary Long is considering the advisability of placing the monitor Miantonomah in reserve.

The Miantonomah was laid up in ordinary at League Island in 1895 and since that time but little attention has been paid to the ship except to make repairs from time to time.

Secretary Long now intends to have the vessel put in thorough condition so that she can be ordered into reserve with the Columbia and Minneapolis. This means that a "short" crew with a full supply of stores and coal will be kept on board and that she can be made ready for sea service within five days if the necessity arises.

While department officials declare there is no significance in this move, the attitude of Japan with respect to Hawaii and Cuban trouble are sufficient to make the administration desire to be in good shape to meet any emergencies that may arise.

ANOTHER BURGLARY.

A Thief Steals a Wedding Ring and Some Small Change.

A rather peculiar house breaking occurred in East Oakland yesterday afternoon.

The home of Mrs. J. Gunter, 1319 Eleventh avenue, was entered while the family was away. The panels of the back door of the house are glass, and one of them has become so loose that it can easily be moved backward and forward.

The thief who entered the house yesterday succeeded in moving the panel back far enough to insert his hand and unlock the door.

After securing Mrs Gunter's wedding ring and a purse containing some small change, the thief was evidently frightened away, as a lot of silverware was left in the middle of the dining room.

Detectives Hodgkins and Holland are working on the case.

DEATH OF A PIONEER.

David Willcox, a pioneer lumberman and a wealthy resident of this city, died at his home, 1308 Madison street, Saturday night. Death was due to an attack of spinal meningitis complicated by the fact that Mr. Willcox had never fully recovered from a stroke of paralysis which he sustained more than a year ago.

Mr. Willcox was a member of the firm of E. B. Dean & Co., at 22 California street, San Francisco. He had been prominently identified with the firm's interests for the past six years.

The deceased was born in L'Orengal, Canada, in 1827, and was therefore 70 years of age at the time of his death. He came to California in 1851 and from a small beginning in the lumber business soon achieved a fortune and has since figured prominently in commercial circles on the coast. The firm of E. B. Dean & Co. was dissovled late in the fall of 1896, and since then the affairs have been in the hands of a receiver.

Mr. Willcox is survived by a wife, Mary A. Willcox, and three daughters, Minnie and Bertha Willcox and Mrs. W. A. Lawton of 1207 Castro street.

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Must Wear Union Shoes.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Every man who marches in the big Labor Day parade must wear union-made shoes with the union label imprint on the sole. A committee has been appointed to inspect every shoe in the line of march, and any man found guilty of wearing non-union shoes will be dealt with accordingly.

The action to this effect was taken at the labor meeting of the Chicago Federation of Labor on the suggestion of William Jones of the Boot and Shoe Workers' Union of America.

Mr. Joes demanded that the shoemakers' label be given the same recognition as the printers, cigar makers, coopers and horseshoers copyrighted levices. He argued that the labor leaders had decided that no horses shall be ridden in the parade which are not shod with union made horseshoes, bearing the journeymen horseshoers' label and following the same line, he declared the men must also be union shod.

Made a Big Haul.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

GUTHRIE, July 19.—Two masked men robbed the Sac and Fox agency postoffice, fifty miles from here, Saturday night, securing a quantity of registered letters, stamps and a small sum of money. They were after $20,000 being paid the Indians.

The robbers escaped. Deputies have left here for the scene.

A Bad Runaway.

Mrs. George H. Hudson of Niles, narrowly escaped death Friday night. She was driving to the station with her twelve-year-old son, when her horse became alarmed at the train. He suddenly leaped around, wrenching off a wheel of the buggy, dragged the vehicle a hundred yards or more. Mrs. Hudson and the boy miraculously escaped any serious injury.

A Good Estate.

The appraisers of the estate of Fred J. Schafer, deceased, have filed the inventory and appraisement of the estate. The real estate situated in Eden Township is appraised at $4,550 and personal property, including a sum of $807 in the Union Savings Bank making the total $5,644.

A Much Wounded Man.

A. W. Berr, the electrician at the Hearst place, near Pleasanton, was badly burned by an explosion of the gasoline machine. On the same day Berr was thrown out of a wagon by the seat breaking down and received an ugly scalp wound.

G. A. Beach Kills Himself.

George A. Beach, who formerly drove a guerney cab in this city, committed suicide at Oakdale, Stanislaus county, on the 10th inst., by shooting himself in the heart. Financial difficulties were the cause of the act.

Meeting of Stockholders.

The Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company's stockholders held their annual meeting Saturday afternoon, but no business of importance was transacted.

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Sale of tickets to everybody commences July 5, but are not available for passage before July 12. Last day of sale, August 9. First class to Denver, $20; Kansas City, $22.50; St. Louis, 23; Chicago, $25. Secure Pullman accommodations at once. Parties starting before August 9th can stop over at Los Angeles and other points in the State until that date if desired. See Southern California.

Detailed information, tickets and sleeper berths furnished at company's Oakland office, 1118 Broadway, telephone main 425. J. J. Warner, passenger agent.

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A TREAT FOR THE CHILDREN.

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ORPHANS TO BE ENTERTAINED.

The Youngsters in the Various Asylums Have Been Invited.

Wednesday afternoon, from 1 to 5 o'clock, the children of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley will be the guests of the Tribune at the Edison Animatoscope on Washington street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets.

Any child under fifteen years of age may enjoy this rare treat and there is no reason why any one should miss it. There is nothing on the programme to which the most fastidious parent could object, but on the contrary, it is a pleasing, instructive exhibition of the illustrious wizard's masterpiece.

While it is not generally known, it is a fact that the Animatoscope to which the Tribune has invited Oakland's little ones is the only genuine Edison Animatoscope on the Pacific slope. To be sure many so-called Animatoscopes have been presented to the public, but they have generally been fakes, gotten up to hoodwink the people, and they bear but little resemblance to the original instrument, the marvellous creation of the world's greatest genius.

The Animatoscope which the Tribune's guests will witness next Wednesday was built at the Edison works, under the personal supervision of the great master. It is, therefore, a bonafide instrument.

While the price of admission to the Animatoscope is small, dimes are scarce and there are many hundreds of children in Oakland who would be unable to see the wonderful instrument were it not for the Tribune's offer. By cutting out the accompanying coupon and presenting it at the door any child will be admitted free of cost next Wednesday afternoon.

The programme arranged for the occasion will be given every half hour from 1 to 5 o'clock and every child in the city can easily be accommodated.

Besides the school children and the other children of the city, the boys and girls of the various orphan asylums have been invited, and it is proposed to have the little ones, who rarely have such an opportunity, attend the performance in a body. Such a day's entertainment will long be remembered by the little orphans, who must go through the world, knowing neither a father's care nor a mother's tender guidance.

One of the main features of the performance will be the exhibition of "Deloretta" in the fire dance. This famous dancer received an enormous fee for dancing before the Animatoscope and it is said that this one feature is worth many times the price of admission. The Tribune's guests will have the privilege of seeing it free. There are many other features which are to be presented at the performance and the young folk may look forward to an afternoon of real pleasure. The pictures are all colored true to life and are life-size. They will be thrown on a screen twelve feet square.

Arrangements have been made with the managers of the Animatoscope, whereby every child who wishes to embrace the opportunity of viewing the wonderful instrument can be accommodated. The building in which the performance is to be given is sufficiently large to accommodate all who desire to attend in the four hours during which the show will last.

While the performance Wednesday has been arranged especially for the children, their parents and other older people will find the entertainment highly interesting and enjoyable. The Animatoscope is certainly one of the greatest inventions of the century and those who have not seen it should lose no time in visiting the place. The instrument is located at 1155 Washington street.

Of the many features of the entertainment perhaps the one which will interest the children most, is the great "Sunset Limited" scene. The train comes dashing through the screen apparently, at a terrific rate of speed. It is as though one were standing by the track of a real railroad. Everything is true to life to the smallest detail. The smoke, the dust raised by the flying train, the scared animals hurrying from the track as the train approaches, everything is there as in reality. One finds it difficult to realize his surroundings when the scene is over.

Then there is the morning bath, where the splashing water and the shivering of the bather is as plainly discernable as in life. The expression on the faces o fthe little darkies as they contest in a watermelon eating match is as enjoyable to behold as it is true to nature and the feeding doves and performing elephants are wonderfully life like.

The great Corbett prize fight will not be given on Tribune day.

In all, eighteen beautiful moving pictures will be presented and no boy or girl in Alameda county can afford to miss the rare treat which may not be obtainable again for years.

Ever since the first announcement of the coming entertainment was made in the Tribune the children have been intensely interested and many queries are made at the Tribune office every day in regard to what is necessary to obtain admission to the Animatoscope performance. There seems to be an impression that the entertainment will cost the little ones something.

All that is required is that the child shall cut the coupon from the Tribune and present it at the door and he will be admitted to the entertainment. The children need have no fears in that respect. They are to be the guests of the Tribune.

The programme to be presented is as follows:

Performing elephants, feeding the doves, lone fisherman, Sunset Limited, morning bath, burning stable, children's toilet, serpentine dance, girls' pillow fight, eating watermelon on a wager.

Roberts Has Vanished.

Harry Roberts has vanished. He was the friend, confidential adviser and sweetheart of Mrs. Lucinda Wagner, the mother of Abe Majors, the boy burglar. He came here to offer assistance to Mrs. Wagner in having Abe transferred from Folsom prison to the State Reformatory and before long the engagement of the couple was announced. It was thought that Roberts was quite wealthy.

Now Roberts has left, owing Mrs. Wagner a board bill and a law firm, which did considerable legal work in the Majors case.

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THE CELESTIAL MAIDEN.

The Chinese Drama to Run This Week at the Oakland.

"The Celestial Maiden" will commence its second week's run at the Oakland Theter tonight. A new scene to the play has been added by the author, Charles Ulrich, and specialties introduced, besides other new features. By request a professional matinee, for the benefit of the theatrical people of San Francisco, will be given Thursday. The regular weekly matinee will be given Saturday of this week. The cast includes E. J. Herron, Lottie Williams, Richard Scott, Frank B. Clayton, Thos. Bates, Pearl Ola Humphrey, Frank Williams and the supporting members of the Bates Stock Company.

Mr. Thomas D. Bates, managing the Bates Stock Company, and Manager F. W. Stechan of the Oakland Theater are giving the drama a splendid production, the scenery and costuming being very elaborate.

ROBBED FOR FOOD.

A Dishonest Negro Would Not See His Wife Go Hungry.

William Newman, a colored man, was arrested last night by Detective Holland and Hodgkins and charged with tapping the till of John Xavier's saloon at Twenty-first and Broadway yesterday morning. Sixteen dollars was taken, and Newman says he lost all his money shooting craps Saturday night and tapped the till because he was broke.

Newman was at his home, where Mrs. Mary Morley was holding a Bible reading, when he was arrested. He had spent most of the money taken for provisions, which he took home to his wife.

Hop Pickers Wanted

The Pleasanton hop fields are offering inducements to laborers from a distance to work during the season. The local company estimates that there will be a yield of 300 acres this year, whereas last year there was a crop from only 135 acres.

The rate for pickers has been raised from 70 to 80 cents a hundred pounds, so as to induce white labor to come from a distance. The Pleasanton company is making preparations to receive entire families near the fields, which are a quarter of a mile from town, so that during the picking season the place will assume the appearance of a tented field.

Reliance Wins.

At Santa Rosa yesterday the Reliance baseball team won from the home club by a score of 11 to 3.

The C. J. Heesemans were defeated at Fresno by the Republicans by a score of 13 to 3.

Fire Near Livermore.

A fire which started several days ago by log blasting in Arroyo Valley, has laid barren over 1,000 acres of grazing and timber land east of Livermore.

A Cut in Summer Wear

COLORED BOSOM SHIRTS Were $1.25, NOW $1.00

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WORDS OF WISDOM

Interesting Sermons at the Houses of Worship Yesterday.

REV. GRAIF ON ENDEAVORERS.

He Explains Some of the Aims of the Christian Society.

IS HEAVEN A CONDITION?

The Religious Ideas Prevailing in Far-Away India.

Last evening, at the Twenty-first street Free Baptist Church, the pastor, Rev. Philip Graif, preached on "The Progress and Power of the Christian Endeavor movement." Among other things he said:

"More wonderful than the telephone or electric lamp, air ship or kinetoscope, is the growth and progress of the Endeavor movement. It must have far-reaching merit, and be a deft, marvelous adaptation of means to ends, in order to rise so quickly into a world-wide religious force, binding many colored races and far-sundered lands into one brotherhood. To construct great moral works usually a long time is needed, but this institution, like Minerva, leaps forth into brilliant being at once full panoplied from head to foot, and all-victorious.

"What are the foundation principles that give the Endeavor movement its power and progressiveness?

"First, its fresh, exhilerating, contagious enthusiasm for Christ and the church. Under its impulse and glow, religion is no longer a cold, hair-splitting abstraction, but a sweet, powerful sentiment that lives and labors for the glory of God and the happiness and welfare of the race. It is not fine-spun theories or dry, keen intellect, but truth saturated with emotion, the gospel richly colored with the warm blood of the heart, that molds and dominates the ages. The frosty atmosphere, however artistic or dainty, kills but the genial sunshine loves grass and flowers. Indeed, true religion is a bright, happy, transfiguring flame, and in its brilliancy and charms lurks not the slightest hint or breath of icy torpor.

"What is another secret of the power of the Endeavor movement? Its fine organization, utilizing, like the apostolic system, the whole lay element in some kind of specific service, whether of song or prayer, exhortation or evangelistic effort. Just as great business enterprises mount to success by keeping things well braced, without any loose ends, so Endeavorism finds a place for every youth, and a youth for every place. Just as the old Greek athlete in the foot race would fail of his parsley-garland if he left his loins ungarded or his sandal unlaced, so the Christian without a definite goal or an eager, concentrated purpose is not only ineffective, but a hindrance.

"True Endeavorism is Christianity organized into Pentecostal devotion to Christ and humanity—it is a sort of passionate apostolic ambition to make Jesus Christ savingly and blessedly real to a world that lies bleeding in sin and sorrow.

"What is the proud inner dream of Endeavorism? To incarnate the Christ ideal among men. Once the enchanting vision of the Greek was to be an artist or philosopher, the Romans beau ideal to become a military hero or a Caesar; the Middle Age fancy to be a Monk or red-cross Knight, but, amid all the dazzling hopes of nineteenth century luxury and splendor, Christian Endeavorism regards no rapture or aim so high and beautiful as the imitation and embodiment of the Christ ideal in the life of its members.

"What, still further, is an element of its power? It's broad interdenominational fellowship. Endeavorism is no one-sided unfolding no narrow, bigoted path. The same sentiment that snaps the slave's fetters, founds schools, builds asylums, sends the gospel to pagan lands, fights the rum power, feeds the beggar with sweet charity, equalizes rights and glorifies duties, is the same heavenly want that binds one Christian heart to the other. When love rises to God-like friendship the very streets seem paved with gold and the gardens exhale the fragrance of never-fading flowers.

"No form of empire and no sky is so great or magical as the home and realm of the Christ-like, loving heart. So long as Endeavorism is with genuine sincerity, enthusiasm and self-sacrifice devoted to Christ and the church its progress and power are bound to captivate and transform the world into its own image. No, after all, it is not the love of the Egyptians, nor the art and philosophy of Greece, nor the law and world-mastery of the Romans, nor the oracular tone of modern science that spreads over the earth peace and hapiness, good will and ideal progress but rather out of the all-embracing cross, out of the redeeming heart of the divine Nazarine, flow the streams of civilization and culture that fertilize the ages, and transform the arid wastes of mankind into gardens of the Lord.

"Superbly harnessed to the gospel chariot its individual strands of strength fuse into one grand unity of purpose, well organized for holy warfare under the standards of the cross, all aglow with the fire of the missionary idea, Endeavorism bids fair to revolutionize and save the world with its evangel of a wide awake and aggressive Christianity."

RELIGION IN INDIA.

Cows Are Sacred and Women Are Decidedly Depraved.

The Rev. J. C. R. Ewing, D. D., president of the Christian Mission College at Lahore, India, delivered an interesting address yesterday morning at the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. Ewing was formerly a missionary in India and spent eighteen years in the Punjaub district.

Dr. Ewing spoke at some length concerning Buddhism, the prevailing religion of India. The sanctity of the cow and the depravity of women are two leading things in it. An incident was given of a native who wrote as a text book a catechism. Some of the questions were these: "What is hell? Answer—Woman. What is the gate of hell? Answer—Woman. What is the entrance to hell? Answer—Woman," etc. The book was not accepted and the man wondered why. There are 211,000,000 people in India, bound down by the system of caste built up by its religion, and this is the fruit of 4000 years. It has been said that this people might as well be left to their own religion, because it was so hard to convert them from it. Four-fifths of the people daily visit the temples and bow down to an obscene object.

"I have heard," said Dr. Ewing, "of these converted people of India being referred to in derision as 'rice Christians,' and I would say that man will be approximately so. Responsibility is one of the elements that goes to the making up of a true man. Responsibility means an ability and willingness to meet all obligations whatsoever. The responsibility of true manhood can never be met by paying one hundred cents on the dollar.

"A true man is one who commits himself to a high ideal and makes a declaration to do his level best, come what may. In striking contrast is the irresponsible man whose watchword is policy. It is in trying to reach an ideal righteousness that makes a man great in himself and in the estimation of others. Lincoln was honored by all because wherever he was placed he tried to realize in himself the Christian life.

"Another element of a true man is reliability. This implies capability and integrity. Self-trust is very commendable if it is of the right kind. A man always should believe in and insist on his own integrity. It makes possible noble effort and contentment of mind. Determination is something more than will power. It is purpose. After all a man's life is what he makes it. Men should be masters of circumstances and not abject slaves to circumstances. A man with strong purpose and faith is a determined man. It is light opposed to darkness; hope opposed to despair."

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS.

Rev. Wilson Says They Are for Pleasure First and Religion Secondly.

The Rev. R. Wilson of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Pleasanton delivered a sermon recently in which he made remarks which showed that he is not entirely in harmony with the Christian Endeavor movement, which he said was not for the best interests of Christianity. The thousands attending the convention he said, came for pleasure first and religion afterward. Furthermore, he thought it funny that they could raise $60 a head for expenses necessary to conduct the convention, while if they were asked to contribute 10 cents at a dime social they would become suddenly poverty stricken. In the same sermon, which was on the importance of religion in life, the idea of the Apostle Paul according to Rev. Mr. Wilson was that the soul of man was of the first importance. He said that business men did not take the time to spend on their souls. They were always in a hurry.

WITH THE SALVATIONISTS.

The Lively Camp at Trestle Glen Crowded With Visitors.

Large crowds are in attendance at the Salvation Army camp meeting at Trestle Glen. A number of interesting services were held yesterday.

In the early morning, Major Milsip gave an address on "Success With God." His audience was composed almost exclusively of soldiers, who took part in what is known as a "knee drill."

George Montgomery and wife, the wealthy owners of Beulah, conducted the morning service. They hold commissions as adjutants, but are known as national specials, and are not regular officers of the Salvation Army. They dealt with the subject: "The Fullness of Jesus."

In the afternoon, Major Brengle of New York led and in the evening Captain Dunham of Southern California was the speaker.

Today's subjects and speakers are as follows: 'The Crimson Fountain,' Ensign Campbell and Captain Spurgeon; "A Fish Story," Ensign Musick and Captain Ford, "Joy Abounding," Staff Captain and Mrs. Reid, phonograph entertainment, Ensign Lewis.

"WHAT IS HEAVEN?"

Rev. H. M. McKnight Outlines His Views on the Subject.

"What Is Heaven" was the subject of the Rev. H. M. McKnight's discourse at the Asbury Methodist Church last evening. He stated that heaven was a place as well as a condition and in a Christian's life heaven has already begun. In part he said:

"Very little is said in the Scriptures of our future abode, but very much of our destiny is determined by the character we build. Though existence is to us unthinkable apart from place and spirit, to us unintelligible without form yet the Old Testament gives little if any intimations of where or what there shall be hereafter. In the New Testament's closing chapter John gives a most glowing view in figurative language of heaven, contemplated from his point of view.

"I have no reason to doubt that heaven is a place as well as a condition, but inasmuch as there could be no heaven to one unprepared to appreciate, appropriate and enjoy it, therefore the essential element of man's adaptation to a heavenly atmosphere, heavenly harmony, heavenly mindedness is emphasized.

"To assure troubled hearts afflicted with materialistic bias, Christ condescended the information that He would personally prepare a place in the many mansioned houses for every faithful one. He lived for all, suffered untold agony for all, died for all and then threw upon them the responsibility of final choice. Ye will not come to me that ye might have life. He offered no gold for streets or gems for gates, but pitied those who were blinded with love of gold dust and inflated with lust for power. He represented his subjects of His kingdom as loving, obedient children. His type was not faithful Abraham, patient Job, or fiery Elijah, but a little child, intelligent, uncomplaining, confiding. Its will in harmony with that of its father and benefactor. Casting its helplessness upon one able to deliver, anxious to provide; its home wherever mother is. To God's child heaven is where His will is done as angels do it."

"True Manhood"

The Rev. T. L. Hanscom of Iowa spoke at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium yesterday afternoon on "True Manhood." He gave an interesting discourse, taking as his text Paul's saying, "Watch ye; stand fast in the faith, quit you like men, be strong."

IRISH DAY AT THE EXPOSITION.

A Fine Programme Arranged by the Sons of Erin's Soil.

Sousa's Pieces Will Be Played by the Band This Evening.

Odd Fellows' night at the Exposition drew an immense crowd Saturday evening and a programme of unusual interest was presented under the auspices of the order.

The stage was effectively and artistically decorated with potted plants and ferns intermingled with the national colors and lodge banners. The daintily clad young women ushers were Miss Nellie Seip, Miss Lizzie Seip, Miss Camilla Holmes, Miss E. Farno, Miss L. Farno, Miss Ella Rehrat, Miss Clara Stoddard, Miss Bessie Prescott.

Past Grand Charles Sumner gave an interesting address and the vocal and instrumental selections were especially good.

Several new attractions have been added to the Exposition. A. L. Davis, the carpenter, who has on exhibition a little redwood cottage, has offered to give the cottage to the first couple who will be married in it. Further developments are eagerly awaited for.

Arrangements for special days are rapidly being made. Tomorrow will be Irish Day with a special programme for children in the afternoon. Among the features are children's dances, in which Hazel Nelson, Fred Nelson, Helen Peterson, George Weaver and Nellie Purdy will take part. The numbers so far as arranged for the evening include vocal solos by Miss Annie Rooney, Miss Mary E. Sullivan and G. Berger; violin solo by Senor Andronique; dramatic readings by F. L. Shaw; vocal selections by C. Griffin and Irish specialties by M. Hynes. The Knickerbocker Quartette will sing and Joseph Keller and Pearl Hickman will appear in Irish step dancing.

The Irish day committee on arrangements includes P. J. Ryan, M. Coakley, P. Flynn, Owen P. Rooney, P. N. Hanrahan, John Cox, B. J. Connelly, J. A. Haran, Frank McAllister and T. J. Desmond.

The G. A. R. will hold a demonstration Saturday evening at the Exposition. J. A. Button will deliver an address in behalf of the Sons of Veterans and Colonel Talcott will speak for the G. A. R. Mayor Thomas will act as presiding officer.

A booth exhibiting old relics of the war will be an attractive feature of the day.

The following band numbers will be given this afternoon:

March, "Italian Royal" .....Gambetta
Overture, "Bridal Rose" .....Lavalle
"The Soldier's Dream" ..... Ripley
Waltzes, "Dream on the Ocean".Gungl
Aria, "Falstaff" .....Verdi
Dance by little Pearl Purdy.
Overture, "Dawn to Twilight".Bennett
(a) Flower song .....Lange
(b) Gavatte Stephanie .....Czibulka
Spanish Serenade .....Ellenberg
Medley, "Musical Tour of Europe"
Galop, "Phonograph" .....Fox

This evening is aptly termed Sousa band night, for the band will render compositions of Sousa exclusively. The programme is as follows:

March, "The Stars and Stripes Forever" .....Sousa
Overture, "Valuor" .....Sousa
The Coquette .....Sousa
Solo for E flat clarinet, "Robin Adair" ..... Mr. Valerga.
Overture, "Tally Ho" .....Sousa
Little Chatterbox, ...Ellenberg arranged by Sousa
Waltzes, "La Reine de la Mer"...Sousa
March, "El Capitan" .....Sousa

ADVERTISEMENTS.

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CLEARANCE SALE

IT HAS been our yearly custom to make a general reduction in all departments during July in order to clean out odds and ends and at the same time make room for Fall goods. We are determined to make every effort that will accomplish the best result for our customers as well as for ourselves and therefore wish to impress them that it would be to their best interest to call soon in order to get the pick of the bargains that will be offered.

Our real Jouvin Gloves, regular price $1 50, will be offered at $1.05.
All $1.50, $1.75 and $2.00 Waists reduced to $1.00.
Silk Waists at greatly reduced prices.
Black figured Overskirts $1.25, were $2.00.
100 all wool Overskirts $2.45—four yds. wide, were good value at $4.50.
25 Silk Overskirts, $5.00—good value $7.50.
25 Black Satin and Gros Grain Brocade Overskirts, $7.50, worth $10.00.
100 pieces Fine Organdie, 15c a yard, former price 25c.
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The special programme for this evening is composed of the following numbers:

Selections by the Exposition band.
Quartette, Donizetti .....
....Miss May Gooch, Wm. Griffing, R. E. Kern, W. H. Ballentyne.
Basso solo, "Thy Sent nel Am I"....
.....Watson
Duo, "I Live and Love Thee".Campana
Miss May Gooch and R. E. Kern.
Piano solo, Valze Caprice..Mowskowski
Miss A. Vallejo.
Solo, "Kiss Waltz" .....Arditi
Miss May Gooch.
Baritone solo, selected.....
R. E. Kern.
Selections by the Exposition band.

CHASED IN A CAR.

How Two Horse Beaters Were Nearly Brought to Justice.

John Henry and A. Bernard were arrested at midnight by Deputy Constable Jack Robinson. They had abused their horse at San Leandro. When they were remonstrated with by a motorman of the Haywards line, they threw stones at the car and broke some of the windows and then drove off.

Robinson was given a special car and finally caught the men at Kane & Daly's stable.

No Animatoscope for Durrant.

The Prison Directors of San Quentin will not allow Durrant to pose before the animatoscope. His father asked the permission because, he said, it was the only way in which money could be raised for the defense of his son. Mr. Durrant Sr. was given permission to have one photograph of his son taken, but it must be in ordinary garb and must show no striped suit or prison bats.

McLean's Will.

The will of J. P. McLean, engineer of the steamer San Jose, who was stricken with fever when the boat was near San Jose de Guatemala, has been filed. All the estate is left to the widow, who resides in Alameda.

Liver Complaints cured by BEECHAM'S PILLS.

Burial of W. L. Goodwin.

The remains of W. L. Goodwin of Los Angeles were interred at Mountain View Cemetery yesterday.

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LIFE IN THE COUNTRY

Weekly Chronicle of Events in the Towns of Alameda County.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE IN ROADS

Many Strangers From the States Call on Friends.

WINE AND FRUIT MEN ACTIVE.

A Pleasanton Minister Scores Christian Endeavorer Pleasures.

Below will be found the principal news happenings in the county for the past week:

HAYWARDS.

Cypress Camp of Woodmen has chartered a special car to go to Oakland tonight.

The cannery commenced on cots today.

A sister of Mrs. E. F. Dinsmore passed away at Oakland. The remains were taken to Rio Vista for interment Tuesday. Mr. Dinsmore and wife have been in attendance at the bedside for the past five weeks, until the final summons came. They will visit friends here before departing South.

The Palomares public school opened Monday, July 12th, with Miss Kate McGough and Miss Susie Leonard teachers. During vacation the rooms were completely renovated and new blackboards added. There has been no reduction in the teachers' salaries.

The following party spent a very pleasant time Wednesday, on a visit to Mount Tamalpais and then rode up the mountain on the scenic railway: Mr. and Mrs. F. Frost, Miss Alice Garretson and Miss Parsons of New Jersey.

Thos. C. Armstrong, the real estate dealer, who has had a hard wrestle with pneumonia, is getting back to health steadily, and appreciates the fine summer weather, though it is a trifle tropical.

It looks as though apricot drying will be more extensive this year than any previous season. The weather so far this year could not be improved upon for this work.

Master Harry Collins and sisters, Addie and Vera Collins, are visiting Mrs. Wagoner at Leona Heights, where they are camping out.

Word was received Thursday from the Humboldt bear hunters that they had reached land after a most tempestuous voyage, that nearly laid them out.

There was a large number of graduates at the meeting of the Alumni Association, which was held in the High school building Wednesday evening. Considerable important business was transacted, among which was the adoption of a constitution. The interesting provisions of the constitution are, in substance, as follows: The name of the society shall be the Alumni Association of Union High School. The following officers were elected: President, Miss A. Mast; vice-president, J. Eldridge; secretary, J. Cooper; treasurer, Miss J. Cahill.

On Wednesday evening the trustees held a special meeting regarding the improvement of the upper portion of B avenue. Chairman Haar was appointed a committee to interview the different property owners to see how much they will give to have the street properly fixed up. When this amount is ascertained the Supervisors will be notified, and a settlement of the question undertaken by the Supervisors and trustees.

LIVERMORE.

(From the Livermore Herald.)

The town trustees have adopted ordinances against gambling, the selling of liquors by itinerants and nickel in the slot machines.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schluter are the guests of friends in Contra Costa county.

The weather for several days the past week was the warmest felt in this section this summer. Monday last the thermometer stood 104 degrees in the shade in the forenoon.

Mrs. Green of Chicago is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Savage. In years past the two ladies were school mates.

Mr. John Beck has returned from Suisun, where he has been engaged the past three months in putting in a water system for that city.

Mrs. Thomas, mother of W. H. Thomas, who was critically ill, is now improving.

Hay pressing was temporarily suspended, owing to the hot spell, for a few days last week.

Judge Taylor suffered a slight set back during the past week, which was in a measure due to the warm wave. He is, however, feeling greatly improved.

Christopher Buckley is increasing the cooperage capacity of his cellars from 75,000 to 150,000 gallons. Mr. Buckley is the first one to follow the suggestions of the Winemakers' Corporation, but there will be others in the valley who will follow his example.

The Livermore wine makers have adopted the following:

"Resolved, That we pledge ourselves that we will not in the future sell a pound of our grapes to any person or corporation who is not a member of the Wine Makers' Corporation, and that we will stand by them and assist their laudable efforts to maintain the viticultural industry of California on a sound and paying basis.

"Resolved further, That a committee be appointed to personally visit each and every grape grower in this district for the purpose of enlisting them and pledging them to sell only to the members of the California Wine Makers' Corporation, and those who, previous to the vintage, will have agreed to transfer their wines to said Wine Corporation."

Charles Austin, who has been working on a threshing outfit on the Amos Clark place about three and one-half miles east of town, suffered a severe sunstroke Tuesday. When he quit work for the day he was overheated and complained of not feeling well, but thought nothing of it and went to bed. During the night he had convulsions, and while in that state it took seven men to hold him. Mr. Clark placed him in a wagon and started for Livermore, but bad luck still pursued them, for when in the outskirts of town a wheel of the wagon broke. The wagon was abandoned, and Austin was carried to the Livermore hotel, where Dr. Warner was summoned. For a while the doctor gave no hopes for his recovery, but the man rallied and at last accounts is doing well.

Among the visitors at Livermore the day of the celebration were about 100 miners from the Corral Hollow coal mines. It was the first holiday they had enjoyed for over a year, and to say that they had a joyous time is but putting it mildly. They bought all the firecrackers in town and would have purchased more had they been obtainable. They sang and they ate and they drank, and in this big body of jolly workingmen, there was not the slightest appearance of trouble of any character.

ELMHURST.

(From the San Leandro Reporter.)

The public school opened on Monday morning.

A general merchandise store will be opened in the Red Men's block.

Joe Sliva, who has been very sick for a month past is much better.

The Odd Fellows installed their newly elected officers on Thursday evening.

Col. Clarrage, who was shot by Mahon some nine weeks ago, is up and around.

Motorman McKenzie and wife, who have been on a trip to Kern county, have returned home.

Ex-Assistant Superintendent Brooks, who has been in Los Angeles for some months, is once more in the employ of the electric railway.

The Misses Tuttle, who have been visiting at the residence of Mr. Chas. Skilling have returned to their home in San Francisco.

The Woodmen of the World took possession of their new meeting room on Wednesday evening. There was a candidate initiated after which there was a banquet.

Miss Belle Duncan of Pacific Grove, who was appointed a teacher in the public school two weeks ago has resigned, and Miss Fannie Bell of Farmington, Sonoma county, has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

There was a constable from Fresno here on Wednesday looking for Bryant Fanning, who has been conducting a restaurant at this place for a few weeks. Fanning left here a week or so ago. He left a number of business men who are as anxious to meet him as the Fresno constable.

PLEASANTON.

(From the Pleasanton Times.)

The recently organized Bohemian Club gave its initial party in Johnston hall Thursday evening. The affair was well conducted and a success in every respect. David Kron acted as floor manager. The committee of arrangements consisted of Louis Klee, Thomas Silver and Herman Baumgarten. All the members of the club acted as the reception committee.

The new Snarey home on Ray street will be ready for occupancy in about two weeks. It is a model residence an dwill be one of the prettiest homes in Pleasanton.

Nick, the 14-year old adpted son of Peter Wie of Dublin, had his left leg broken last Tuesday. He was helping to load hay when one of the bales fell on him. Both bones of the leg were broken between the knee and ankle. Dr. Hershiser was summoned and reduced the fracture. The lad is reported as doing nicely.

Supervisor Wells has reported assisting 223 indigents during June at a cost to the country of $320.

Lilienthal & Co. have completed their contract with the county to dredge near the new Santa Rita bridge.

There was a party last Wednesday evening at the Harris residence. It was a farewell to Miss Minnie Harris, who will leave Pleasanton to teach school at Crow Canyon. Those present were: Misses Bessie Johnston, Bessie Downing, Minnie Harms, Josie Claibourne, Annie Harms, May Johnston. Messrs. Robt. Helms, Ben Carroll, Alfred Harms, Ed Harms and Jesse Mendenhall.

Rev. Wilson of the M. E. Church preached a sermon last Sunday night that was replete with startling statements with relation to the Christian Endeavor convention. The theme of the sermon was that without religion, all else in life is without value. The striking part of the discourse concerned the great Christian Endeavor Convention. Rev. Wilson waxed warm in expressing his dissatisfaction with the movement. He said it was not for the best interest of Christianity. The thousands attending the conventions he said, came for pleasure first and religion afterward. Furthermore, he thought it funny that they could raise $60 a head for expenses necessary to conduct the convention, while if they were asked to contribute ten cents at a dime social they would become suddenly poverty stricken.

Another Failure.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—R. Rothschilds Sons & Company, dealers in bar fixtures and furniture at 595 Broadway assigned today. Liabilities $150,000; assets $100,000 The company had its principal office in Cincinnati, Ohio.

A Big Failure.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Theodore H. Schnitz, real estate dealer assigned today. The liabilities, $700,000 are probably exceeded by large real estate holdings. A heavy mortgage indebtedness caused the assignment.

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OAKLAND SHOULD WORK UP

Attorney George De Golia Says It Is Behind the Times.

He Speaks of His Recent Eastern Trip and Draws Comparisons.

George De Golia, who returned last night from the Grand Lodge of Elks at Minneapolis, was interviewed this morning and said:

"It is needless to say I am glad to get home, after spending two or three weeks between Minneapolis, Chicago, Denver and Salt Lake. First, on account of the excessive heat in those cities; and secondly, because there is no place like Oakland.

"There seems to be a general feeling in the East among well informed men that times are gradually getting better. Every one seems hopeful, and many of them look to California as the place where good times will begin. It seems to me that we are as well off, if not better, here than people under similar conditions in the Eastern States. Think of wheat at $1.37 a bushel, when it was only 87 cents last year. Then the feeling East is that Hawaii is to be annexed, and that is bound to help California.

"People are continually inquiring as to the gold mines of California, and they ought to begin to produce as the result of the last two or three years' expenditure in developing them. And on top of that comes this Alaska discovery, and California is bound to go to the front.

"One thing I noticed about the Eastern cities is the attention given to public parks. In Minneapolis there are two or three lakes within a few miles of the city, and these lakes have been beautified at public expense so that their surroundings are simply immense parks in which the people of all stations in life can go every afternoon in carriages, on bicycles or the electric cars ,and have a cool place, as well as an opportunity for social intercourse or enjoyment.

"A week ago Sunday we spent hours simply driving through the parks in Chicago; mile after mile of lawns, drives, with small lakes here and there, way out beyond the old fair grounds; thousands upon thousands of people—men, women and children—were there enjoying themselves in the fresh, cool air, and the freedom of the parks. I am safe in saying that there were at least twenty thousand people out that afternoon on bicycles.

"Another thing I noticed in Chicago was the independence of the women; they go everywhere alone, and it is no more thought of or noticed than if they were men. They are in every business house you enter; they all dress quietly and never seek to attract attention.

"In all business matters everybody figures upon the basis of cents; not on the basis of nickels, as we do in California; but nowhere could we get a meal as good or as cheaply as you can get them at a dozen places in San Francisco.

"I thought a number of times how much behind the times Oakland is with her bad streets, and with a beautiful body of water near by absolutely unimproved. Why, in any city of any size in the East, Lake Merritt and its surroundings would have been converted into a public park long ago."

MINERS ASK CONGRESS FOR PROTECTION.

(Continued from page 1.)

gold in the world. From the foundation of the Government to Christmas, 1894, the entire production of the United States has been $2,000,000,000. The highest rate of production in any one year was $65,000,000 in 1853, following the discovery of gold in California. For the year 1894, the United States, Africa and Australia, were about on a par in their gold production, each representing about $40,000,000.

If Alaska does as well any time within the next ten years it will be extraordinary. That would be about 1 per cent of the present gold coinage and a still smaller proportion of our present gold stock. The difficulty in expecting any change in the ratio between gold and silver from new fields like Alaska is that the production of gold and silver by weight is so disproportionate that it would take mountains of gold to make up the difference. The gold production of 1894 for the whole world was less than 9,000,000 ounces, and the world's product of the white metal was over four times that amount or twenty times as much silver as gold, weight for weight. If Alaska should prove as much of a gold field as South Africa, Australia and the United States put together—something altogether improbable—it would help us to keep up the gold exports and maintain the reserve but it would not disturb materially the relations between gold and silver."

A NEW YORKER DOES NOT CREDIT THE STORIES

But Others Declare the Figures of the Discovery Are Too Small.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The World says:

Daniel Guggenheim of the firm of Guggenheim & Sons, who has large smelting interests, when seen at his Long Branch cottage confirmed the reported discoveries in the Yukon country and said that the new fields would yield far in excess of even the present roseate indications.

"For some time my firm has had expert mining engineers at work in Alaska," he said, "and their report says Yukon gold fields will prove the richest in the world. My opinion is that soon as the country has been opened up and shipping facilities furnished the output of gold will be simply enormous. As the production of gold increases, silver will be enhanced in value. This I regard as certain."

Mr. Guggenheim declined to give in detail the reasons for his faith for higher values for silver.

There are well informed men who look upon the reported discoveries as exaggerated. One of these if F. Hobart, associate editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal.

"Yes, I have read these stories," said he, "but to be frank I do not credit them. Our information ,which is detailed and positive, makes it impossible for me to accept the repeated announcement that the Yukon river runs over a bed of virgin gold. As a matter of fact, some persons have struck fairly rich placers in the Yukon district. But the large majority of gold seekers in that country have been stranded. There is only a placer yield on record for this section. No quartz has been discovered—not a fragment. Of course it is fed out and worn out during ages from the mountains and indicates the existence of rich quartz deposits. Along the coast conditions are different. There we have quartz mines of Douglas Island, Bernois bay and Sumdum, all rich and one—the Alaska Treadwell—ranking as the largest in the world.

"Our latest advices from the Yukon country are from Roseate. Miners have been arriving in numbers all through the spring, but only at a few points have the placers paid well. Now comes the story that the waters of the Clondyke run with mingled water and gold dust. I cannot credit it. I have direct information from the Clondyke mines and know that some of them have been fairly successful, but I cannot say positively who are behind these 'boom' stories. About two years ago hundreds of venturesome miners drawn to the Yukon by false reports of its fabulous wealth were quietly brought home free of charge by the transportation companies.

"But even if the Yukon fields prove to be peculiarly rich, it will mean comparatively little to the world. Only the hardiest and most experienced miners could hope to prosper in that desolate land. For eight months out of each year no work can be done. The long winter is of Arctic-like severity. Into four months the miners must crowd a year's work. These who rush to the Yukon country will court hardships of which they do not dream. If they start now they will barely reach Alaska before winter sets in. Without money and plenty of it, their position would be terrible.

"Winter there means no work, costly provisions and a life destroying climate."

ALL DEALERS MOVE TO THE WATER FRONT.

Another Steamer Line to Be Opened on Thursday Morning.

Adams' Wharf Competition Soon Brough About the Change.

The establishment of commission houses on the water front has proved so successful that another company has been organized and expects to be ready to open up business on Thursday morning. The firms who are to compete with Hunt, Hatch & Company, are: Fossing & Gallagher, Oakland Fruit & Produce Company, W. G. Manual, E. D. Williams, W. A. Rouse & Company, Olympia, Garcia & Woods.

The new movement proved so successful from the start that its influence was at once felt on Eleventh street, and although the commission men have been talking about the project for months not one of them liked to take the initiative. When, however, a new firm started on the water front and opened up direct communication with the Sacramento River, the other firms at once found that they could no longer do business through the San Francisco house and they at once took steps to follow the example of Hunt, Hatch & Company.

The new organization has chartered the San Lorenzo and cargoes will be discharged at Clay street wharf. This is not such a desirable location as the depot at Adams' Wharf where all is new and clean, but it will be occupied for the present. As the wharf is not big enough for a large number of teams it is very probable that new corporation will, before long, move to the spacious and airy wharf at the foot of Madison street.

CANNOT SELL THE LAND.

The Residents Near Cemetery Creek Gain a Point.

Superintendent of Streets Miller Must Wait Awhile.

The plaintiffs in the suit of George Hawley et al. vs M. K. Miller, Superintendent of Streets, have been granted an injunction restraining him from selling on July 20th, certain properties belonging to plaintiffs for the opening of a street through Cemetery Creek Canyon from Twenty-fourth street to the northern boundary of the city.

The complaint alleges that the published notices did not specify the exterior boundaries of the district to be affected.

The plaintiffs also claim that the three Commissioners, E. C. Sessions, A. H. Breed, and J. J. Warner, appointed by the Council to assess costs of damage and benefits, and supervise the work, are not members of the Board of Trade.

The complaint further states that the three Commissioners have at no time filed an affidavit to faithfully perform their duties as Commissioners with the Council or otherwise, neither did they in their report, nor in the plat of the district show the relative locations or dimensions of the lands, nor are the bearings given of the line of the streets or lots, nor are the angles given of the intersection of the lines of streets or lots, so that it is impossible to locate the lots by the plat.

The dimensions in several instances are claimed to be faulty.

The assessment of lot 133 is omitted.

The complaint also claim that the City Council has no authority in the matter, but that the Board of Public Works has exclusive authority.

"WORLD" INCORPORATES.

Berkeley's Lucky Journal Starts Out in Metropolitan Style.

Articles of incorporation have been filed by the Berkeley World Publishing Company, for a term of fifty years. The principal place of business is Berkeley.

The directors for the first year are as follows: Fred W. Marguand, George Moenning, J. L. Scotchler, Arthur W. St. John, John C. Pagh.

The capital stock is $30,000, divided into 300 shares, at par value of $100 each.

The amount of capital stock subscribed for is $600 each of the following subscribing $100: Fred W. Marguand, George Moenning, J. L. Scotchler, Paul, J. Pagh, Arthur W. St. John, and John C. Pagh.

STRUCK IT RICH ON THE YUKON.

J. B. Dyer of Oakland Is Said to Have Amassed a Fortune.

The Reward of Three Years' Work Filled With Many Hardships.

Tales of the fabulous fortunes made by gold prospectors in the Yukon valley have filled the air lately and are resulting in many planning to go to the gold fields.

An Oakland man, J. B. Dyer, is among those who have "struck it rich" in Alaska and he now holds a fortune in his grasp.

Dyer's mine is located at Chicken Creek and it is looked upon as one of the richest mines in the Yukon. Thousands of dollars are ready to be taken out and both Dyer and his partner are already rich men and may yet be millionaires.

Dyer, who is a son-in-law of Dr. J. M. Selfridge, left Oakland two years and a half ago, going directly to the Yukon. The country was not as open then as it is now and the early prospectors had to battle not only with the cold, but also with difficulties of transportation.

Starvation frequently stared them in the face and only the brave and plucky ones were able to stand the trials and privations in the hope of winning a fortune from the inhospitable land.

Dyer and his partner located the mine at Chicken Creek two years ago, Dyer's partner at the same time locating a claim on the Clondyke, where most of the rich mines have since been found.

The Chicken Creek mine was considered the best and the two men worked it in preference to the Clondyke claim.

Last summer Dyer was taken ill and, weakened by cold and privation, it was some time before he recovered. However this summer operations began early and the mine has been paying rich dividends steadily. Fortune has indeed smiled upon Dyer and his partner. The claim is an immensely rich one and thousands of dollars worth of gold are already in sight. It is a placer mine, like many of the others, differing only in its greater richness.

Dyer may return to Oakland this fall, if he can do so without sacrificing too much, but he will probably return under any circumstances in the spring.

Mrs. Dyer and her small child are still in Oakland and are the lode-stones which attract Dyer home again. Mrs. Dyer has been living with her father, Dr. Selfridge, during her husband's absence.

The news of her husband's fortune has brought happiness to the brave wife who has pluckily waited his return and is now bravely planning to face the signs of an Arctic winter as soon as her husband arranges affairs so that he can take her north with him.

A CHANCE CONTEMPLATED.

Councilman Rowe's Plan to Save Eighty Dollars a Month.

Councilman Rowe, accompanied by Mayor Thomas and City Engineer Clement made a tour of inspection of the City Hall today with a view to definitely deciding the question of so arranging the offices of the Hall that the City Engineer's office may be accommodated in the building.

The Committee from the Board of Education, composed of Messrs. Redington, Powell, and Evans have agreed to have the Board meet in the Council Chambers on Tuesday nights hereafter.

This will give the City Engineer the room formerly occupied by the Board of Education. He will also be given the Superintendent of Streets office, and the room which is to be built between the two rooms, now used as space for the back stairs of the Hall.

City Superintendent McClymonds will continue to occupy his present offices and the City Clerk will do the same.

The Superintendent of Streets will be moved into the two rooms in the front of the building now occupied by the Board of Public Works and the Board will be moved into the Mayor's reception room. The Board meetings will be held in the Council Chamber.

The Mayor will have his present office.

The one difficulty which has stood in the way of the change was the blueprint rooms which is necessary for the Engineer. It was found today that by cutting a door through from the tower of the Hall, the roof can be utilized for that purpose.

The Council Committee, composed of Messrs. Rowe, Watkinson and Girard will probably recommend the foregoing changes at the Council meeting this evening.

The main reason for the change is the saving of $80 a month which is paid for the City Engineer's quarters in the Macdonough Building.

COURT NEWS

Mary A. McAuslan has been appointed administrator of the estate of William McAuslan, deceased.

J. Swan has been appointed administrator of the estate of Maggie Swan, deceased.

Judge Ellsworth has appointed Mrs. Lydia Prescott, guardian of George and Hans Erickson, minors; also of Mary E. Richardson, a minor.

Judge Ellsworth has filed a certificate showing O. H. Dodge qualified to be appointed Medical Examiner of lunacy cases.

T. Joseph Theifen, Peter Baker, and H. B. Belden have been appointed appraisers of the estate of the late Josepr Thiefen.

R. H. Parkinson has been declared an insolvent debtor. His liabilities amount to $1,047.70 and he owns property worth $150, all of which is exempt from execution.

Rev. D. Govers has filed a claim of $55 against the estate of Felescia Emelia Silva. The claim is for funeral and burial expenses.

Judge Ellsworth has granted a divorce to Leslie D. Coombs from his wife Maggie Coombs on the grounds of cruelty.

Market Quotations.

Corrected daily by Hill & Egan, grain and commission brokers, Oakland. July 19, 1897.

CHICAGO MARKET REPORT.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sept. Wheat	60¼-⅜	71⅛	69	71⅛
Sept. Corn	28⅞	26⅞-27	26½-⅝	26⅞
Sept. Pork	7 62	7 67	7 57	7 62-65

Puts 70, Calls 72⅝, Curb 71⅜.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Sugar	136-38	142⅝	136-38	141¾
Tobacco	78	79⅝	78	78½
C. B. & Q.	84¾	85½	84⅝	84⅞
Gas	94⅞	96	94⅝	95½
Manhattan Con.	90	91½	90	91½
Northwestern	118½	118½	117½	117½
Rock Island	76¾	77⅛	75⅞	76½
St. Paul	86⅝	87⅝	86½	87⅜
Western Union	84⅞	85⅛	84⅞	85⅛
Jersey Central	88	88⅞	88	88¼
E. G. Electric	34⅝	34⅞	34⅝	34⅞

ADVERTISEMENTS.

AN INTERMITTENT HEART.

STOPPED EVERY THIRD BEAT.

But Mrs. Strope's Heart Now no Longer Lags but Throbs Regularly.

From the Leader, Cleveland, Ohio.

In a large, commodious house at No. 104 Huntington Street, Cleveland, Ohio, lives Mrs. Emily L. Strope, widow of the late X. M. Strope, and she is the mother of a young man who has been, and is now one of this city's successful and energetic pharmacists. Mrs. Strope, who has lately recovered from serious cardiac difficulty, when questioned by a reporter regarding her late illness, stated as follows:

"Two years ago, I had my first experience with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. For a long time I was troubled with an ailment which I feared would eventually drive me crazy unless I rid myself of it. It will sound strange, no doubt, to some, but my heart did not beat as it should. Its action was irregular. There would be two pulsations, or perhaps three, and then a sudden cessation. My heart seemed to rest for the period of one or two beats, and then resume its action. Sometimes such lapses would not be so frequent as that, but scarcely a day passed that they did not occur. It felt as though something would strike the heart with great force, and push it out of place. During that period, whenever I lay down to sleep or rest, my hands would become perfectly numb and helpless. I could feel the temporary paralysis coming over them, but I could do nothing which would prevent it. My feet were affected in a like manner, and I had considerable difficulty in walking when such a spell had possession of me. Naturally that state of affairs completely upset my nerves, and any one whose nervous system is well nigh shattered, can appreciate and understand the misery, chiefly mental, which I endured. I lost much sleep and rest, and often I was compelled from sheer exhaustion to sit down during the day to obtain some repose. But as soon as I did so I felt that numb sensation come over my hands and feet, and I rocked violently in my chair to drive it away, but frequently to no avail.

"One day my son, who was keeping a drug store at the time, brought me home some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People and advised me to take them for my heart trouble. I did so and soon began to feel better. I used the pills about two months and they certainly cured me, for now my heart beats regularly and all numbness has disappeared and my circulation is in splendid order."

We print the above hoping Mrs. Strope's experience may be beneficial to others who may suffer from derangement of the heart.

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THE LAST RITES.

Funeral Services Over the Remains of the Late J. J. O'Brien.

(Special to The Tribune.)

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—The funeral of J. J. O'Brien was held today at 9:30 o'clock from the family residence, 1358 Post street, San Francisco. Requiem High Mass was celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral at 10 o'clock, by the Vicar-General, Rev. Father Prendergast.

The body was placed in the Receiving Vault at Cavalry Cemetery.

The 200 employes of the O'Brien store marched in the procession, which included also several military and fraternal societies.

It was a very quiet and imposing funeral train, there being no music, and the mourners wore no uniforms.

The honorary pall bearers were as follows: Adam Grant, B. P. Oliver, James R. Kelly, E. H. Commins, Henry Doyle, Jeremiah Mahoney, Herbert Spencer and M. P. Hannigan.

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Porter House Steak	13½c
Tenderloin Steak	10c
Sirloin Steak	9c
Round Steak	7c
Rib Steak	6c
SPRING LAMB, 1897	
Fore Quarter	6c to 7c
Hind Quarter	8c to 10c
Chops	10c
MUTTON	
Leg of Mutton	7c to 8c
Shoulder of Mutton	3c to 4c
Mutton Stew	3c
Good Chops	6c
French Chops	10c
Loin Chops	10c
VEAL	
Roast Veal	6c to 10c
Veal Cutlets	8c to 12½c
Veal Stew	6c
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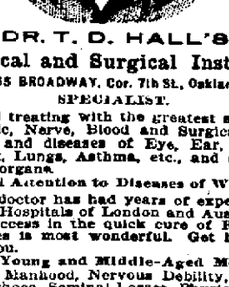

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PLANS FOR THE UNIVERSITY.

Regent Reinstein Returns From a European Tour of Inspection.

Artists and Architects of the Old World Are Interested.

Regent J. B. Reinstein of the University of California has returned to San Francisco from a two months' visit to Europe, where he has been inspecting the architectural plans of the great universities of the old world.

Last winter H. E. Maybeck, the instructor of architectural drawing at the University, was authorized to accompany Regent Reinstein on a trip of inspection to the leading universities of the East and consultation with the prominent architects. Instructor Maybeck continued his trip across the Atlantic to Europe and for seven months has been consulting with the great architects, artists and landscape gardeners of that country.

On the first of last May Mr. Reinstein left for Europe on professional business, but he has devoted a great part of his time to the furtherance of the proposed plans. He took with him a topographical map of the grounds and buildings of the University and photographs taken with an idea of illustrating every portion of the grounds and the situation of the University with reference to the surrounding country, as well as lantern slides of the situation, which were exposed in the different cities of Europe, as had been done in the Eastern States last winter. With Mr. Maybeck he has been in London, Edinburgh, Manchester and other cities of Great Britain containing the principal monuments of architecture; to Paris, Brussels, Heidelberg, Berlin, Dresden, Leipsic, Prague, Frankfort, Munich, Vienna, Buda-Pest, Milan, Venice, Rome, Florence and other cities for the purpose of interviewing the world's leading architects and landscape gardeners, and enlisting their interest in the development of the lines along which the competition for the plans should be conducted.

Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst furnished the necessary moneys for securing the plan and has constituted Governor Budd, representing the State; Professor William Carey Jones, representing the University, and Mr. Reinstein, representing the Board of Regents, as trustees of the plan.

The reception of the visitors was in every instance most cordial. The architects generally regard the opportunity presented as one of the greatest ever offered in the history of architecture, for in addition to the beauty of the site, the large area of the grounds, and their situation on a gently rising hill overlooking the Golden Gate, Mrs. Hearst has not restricted the amount of money necessary to obtain this plan.

It is contemplated that there will be an international concurrence of architects together with artists, sculptors and landscape gardeners to bring about the best results. Professor Gradet of Paris, who has probably had the most extensive experience of any person living in this direction, is preparing the "programme," as it is technically called. This will give in detail the requirements of the University together with the necessary data, maps and photographs, and will be finished within a month, when copies will probably be sent to the various architects of the world.

Under the arrangements as contemplated at present the architects will be requested to send in sketches of their plans at a given date and these will be passed upon by a jury consisting of one recognized authority each from France, Germany, England and the United States and a representative of the University, the understanding being that each architect submitting plans will receive some recompense. At least ten of the best sketches will be selected to elaborate their plans. The architects so selected will be permitted to name four additional members of the jury, and these nine jurors will elect the ultimate plan. It is probable that there will be about thirty magnificent buildings in all, each of which will be built of marble or other stone; the completion of the work is not expected for many years.

At this moment thousands of men are standing at the cross-roads of life. Death in the guise of a foolish ambition coaxes them to take one road, while health and happiness in the form of wife and babies coax them to take the other. For the sake of a few added dollars will they continue to over-work and neglect the commonest precautions for the preservation of health, or will they listen to love and reason and draw back before it is too late? A man may do almost any amount of good, hard work if he will take care of his health and when he feels out of sorts will take the right remedy.

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J. J. WHITE, Postmaster.

DIED OF FRIGHT.

J. J. Collins, an Insane Patient, Expires at the Receiving Hospital.

J. J. Collins, an insane patient, who was brought to the Receiving Hospital Saturday and placed in charge of Warden of the Insane Keating, died there yesterday morning. The deceased had an over wrought fancy. He feared that the roof was to fall upon and kill him. He begged to be saved from his horrible fate.

Collins' home was at 1060 Fifth street. He had been drinking for some days prior to his arrest on the charge of insanity. He became so violent that Mr. Keating was obliged to strap him to his cot.

An autopsy showed that the deceased had several organic troubles, though the physicians expressed the belief that Collins' death had been superinduced by fright.

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Livermore valley vineyardists have formed a combination to prevent the falling of prices for wine and grapes. A pledge was drawn up binding the signers not to sell a grape or a drop of wine to any other concern that the California Winemakers Association.

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Refrigerators at every price, in every size, at Meese's 1009-1011 Washington st.

Funeral of Mrs. Gould.

The funeral of Mrs. F. D. Gould, who tried to murder her child and then committed suicide, was held at the Santa Clara Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, Alameda, yesterday. The remains were interred in Mountain View Cemetery.

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Leave	From June 10, 1897.	Arrive
7:41 a	Atlantic Express, Ogden and East	8:04 p
7:41 a	Benicia, Sacramento, Oroville and Redding via Davis	5:14 p
7:41 a	Vacaville and Rumsey	8:04 p
8:04 a	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	5:05 p
8:37 a	New Orleans Express, Fresno, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles, El Paso, New Orleans and the East	5:34 p
9:37 a	Vallejo	11:45 a
2:01 p	Martinez and way stations	7 14 p
4:34 p	Vallejo, Napa, Calistoga, El Verano, Santa Rosa, Martinez and San Ramon	8:45 a
4:38 p	Benicia, Vacaville, Woodland, Knight's Landing, Marysville, Oroville and Sacramento	5:34 p
.....	Port Costa, Martinez, Lathrop, Stockton, Merced and Fresno	11:45 a
5:38 p	Los Angeles Express, Tracy, Fresno, Bakersfield, Santa Barbara and Los Angeles	7:04 a
5:39 p	Santa Fe Route, Atlantic Express for Mojave and East	5:34 p
6:40 p	European Mail, Ogden and East	9:35 p
‡6:36 p	Vallejo	‡7:14 p
5:36 p	Oregon Express, Sacramento, Marysville, Redding, Portland, Puget Sound and East	7:14 a

NILES ROUTE. First Street Near Broadway.

6.36 a	Via Seventh St., Niles, San Jose and way stations	.....
9:10 a	Niles, San Jose, Stockton, Sacramento, Marysville and Red Bluff	3:37 p
*9.10a	Peters, Milton and Oakdale.	*6:39 p
1.33 p	Niles, San Jose and Livermore	6:39 p
.....	Niles, San Jose, Livermore and Stockton	6:39 p
5:02 p	Lathrop Stockton Modesto, Merced, Raymond (for Yosemite) and Fresno	.....
6.40 p	Haywards, Niles and San Jose	7:07 a

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Passengers from Oakland and Alameda take Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Cars to Tidal Canal Bridge. Allow twenty-five minutes from Eleventh and Broadway and fifteen minutes from Thirteenth avenue and East Twelfth street. Round Trip Tickets from any point in Alameda or Oakland can be purchased of Alameda, Oakland and Piedmont Electric Railway Conductors.

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While making up your mind where you will go, and concocting your itinerary, keep as many as possible of these places before your minds eye

Up Shasta Way—Tavern of Castle Crags, Sweet Brier Camp, Upper Soda Springs, Shasta Retreat, Shasta Springs, Sissons, Mt. Shasta Camp, Klamath Hot Springs.

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NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,094 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Fifteenth street in said city, from the eastern curb line of Wood street to the western line of Campbell street, excepting therefrom the intersection of Willow street, be regraded to the official line and grade and macadamized with class "C" macadam, also that gutters three feet in width of broken rock and grouted be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 12th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

ORDINANCE NO.—An Ordinance creating the position of Sergeant of Police, declaring the necessity therefor, and authorizing the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners to appoint persons thereto, upon the recommendation of the Chief of Police, and fixing their compensation.

Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Oakland as follows:

SECTION I.

A necessity existing therefor, the position of Sergeant of Police is hereby created, and the Board of Police and Fire Commissioners is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint three police officers, recommended by the Chief of Police, from the present police force, to be such Sergeants of Police, at a salary of one hundred dollars per month each, the duties of said Sergeants of Police to be such as may be prescribed by the rules and regulations of said department.

SECTION II.

This Ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its approval.

In Council, Oakland, Cal. July 6th, 1897.

Passed to print by the following vote:

Ayes — Messrs. Brosnahan, Cuvellier, Earl, Girard, Heitmann, Henneberry, Rowe, Upton, Watkinson and President Pringle—10.

Noes—None.

Absent—Mr. Fibush—1.

Attest: J. W. TOMPKINS, City Clerk.

Oakland, July 8th, 1897.

LEGAL.

Notice to Architects

Under resolution adopted July 12, 1897, by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Alameda, notice is hereby given that on the 2nd day of August, 1897, at 11 A. M., proposals from architects will be received for plans and specifications in detail for an addition and annex to the Receiving Hospital located on the west side of Franklin street, between Fourth and Fifth streets, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, at which time and place plans and specifications will be selected and adopted by said Board of Supervisors for said addition and annex to said Receiving Hospital.

Said addition and annex to be one story high. The amount authorized by the said Board to be expended for such building not to exceed the sum of fifteen hundred dollars. The premium to be awarded the architect whose plans and specifications may be adopted to be the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars. Said sum to include compensation for superintendency. For location of the said addition and annex and other necessary details, apply to the Clerk of this Board.

By order of the Board of Supervisors.
(Seal) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

July 12th, 1897.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,106 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Thirty-sixth street in said city, from a point twenty-five feet westerly from the western line of Market street to the sewer in the eastern side of San Pablo avenue, be sewered on the northern side of said street with an eight inch vitrified ironstone pipe sewer as follows: From said point 25 feet westerly from the western line of Market street westerly along a line two feet southerly from and parallel with the northern line of said 36th street to a point 170 feet easterly from the eastern line of San Pablo avenue measured on said line produced westerly; thence at right angles southerly 28 feet, thence southwesterly to the manhole at the head of the aforesaid sewer in San Pablo avenue; also that 80 Y branches of six inch opening be constructed thereon; also that a manhole and 3 lampholes be constructed thereon.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 16th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

PROPOSALS for doing the advertising and printing which may come under the direction or order of the City Council of the city of Oakland, or any or all of the departments of the city government.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., July 10, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 2692 of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the 21st day of July, 1897, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M. of said day, for doing the advertising and printing which may come under the direction or order of the City Council of the city of Oakland, or any or all of the departments of the city government of the said city of Oakland, for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1897, and ending June 30, 1898.

Said public advertising and printing consists of all public notices for street work, ordinances, resolutions or other advertisements of the City Council or other departments of the city government of the city of Oakland.

Bids will only be received for advertising and printing in daily newspapers of general circulation, printed and published in the city of Oakland.

Bidders will state in proposals the price per square for doing the said work according to the following schedule, to-wit:

First—A price per square for the first insertion.

Second—A price per square for the second insertion.

Third—A price per square for the third insertion.

Fourth—A price per square for the fourth insertion, and for each subsequent insertion.

The said square to be one-half inch by two inches (two inches being average width of columns).

Nonpareil to be used in body of publication.

All headings of publications not to exceed one-half inch.

All work done and material furnished to be subject to the approval of the department ordering the same and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for $300.00, which check shall be forfeited to the city of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $500.00 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

H. W. THOMAS,
Secretary.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,092 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That 13th avenue in said city, from the north line of East 14th street to the south line of East 22nd street, excepting therefrom such portion as is required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon, be improved by remacadamizing said street between said lines with class "C" macadam. Said work to be done in accordance with the special specifications contained in Resolution No. 22,954, adopted by the City Council May 17th, 1897.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 17th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS, OAKLAND, CAL.

For the six months ending June 30, 1897, a dividend has been declared at the rate of four (4) per cent per annum on ALL savings deposits, free of taxes, payable on and after Thursday, July 1, 1897. Dividends not called for are added to and bear the same rate of dividend as the principal from July 1, 1897.

W. W. GARTHWAITE, Cashier.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway, consolidated, will be held at the office of the company, No. 908 Broadway, Oakland, California, for the election of officers to act for the ensuing year and until their successors are elected; also for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, on Saturday, July 17th, 1897, at 2 P. M.

A. LESTONE, Secretary.

LEGAL.

EXECUTORS SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the county of Alameda, Department No. 4 thereof, duly given and made on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1897, in the matter of the estate of Phillip Boogar, deceased, we, the undersigned executors of the last will and testament of said deceased, will sell at private sale, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on and after the 23 day of August, 1897, all the right, title and interest and estate of said Phillip Boogar, deceased, at the time of his death, and all the right, title, interest and estate that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired other than or in addition to that of the said Phillip Boogar at the time of his death, of, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Commencing at a point on the easterly line of Franklin street distant thereon fifty (50) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Eighth and Franklin streets; and running thence southerly along the said easterly line of Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet; and running thence at right angles easterly seventy-five (75) feet; running thence northerly and parallel with Franklin street seventy-five (75) feet; and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the place of beginning. Being lots numbered 4, 5 and 6 in block 78, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Second—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second street and the easterly line of Poplar street; and running thence easterly along said northerly line of Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet to the westerly line of Union street; thence at right angles northerly along said westerly line of Union street one hundred and twenty-three and one-half (123½) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Poplar street forty (40) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and thirty (130) feet to the easterly line of Poplar street; thence at right angles southerly along the easterly line of Poplar street two hundred and sixty-three and one-half (263½) feet to the place of beginning. Being a portion of block 629, as per Kellersberger's map of the city of Oakland, on file and of record in the County Recorder's office of Alameda county.

Third—All those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point of intersection of the easterly line of Franklin street with the southerly line of Eighth street, and running thence southerly along the easterly line of Franklin street fifty (50) feet; running thence easterly seventy-five (75) feet, thence northerly fifty (50) feet; and running thence westerly seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement. The said last above described real estate will be sold subject to an order of the said Superior Court given and made on April 29th, 1897, in the matter of said estate, and by which order of Court the said last above described real estate was set apart to the surviving widow of the said deceased for and during her natural life.

Terms and Conditions of Sale—Cash, in gold coin of the United States, ten (10) per cent of the amount bid payable at the time of sale and the balance thereof upon confirmation by the above entitled Court.

Said real property will be sold, either as a whole or in subdivisions.

All bids or offers for said property, or any portion thereof, must be in writing, and will be received and may be left at the law office of P. F. Benson, room 20, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of any sale.

Dated July 13th, 1897.

P. F. BENSON and
E. M. PATERSON,
Executors of the last will and testament of Phillip Boogar, deceased.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23,095 to order the following street work to be done, viz:

That Linden street in said city, from the northern line of Eighteenth street to the southern line of Twenty-first street, be sidewalked with cement six feet in width to the official line and grade, excepting therefrom the eastern side of said Linden street from the northern line of 18th street to the southern line of 21st street, also the western side from the northern line of 18th street to a point 130.15 feet northerly from said northern line of 18th street; also from a point 174.68 feet northerly from the northerly line of 18th street to the southern line of 21st street.

For further particulars, reference is hereby made to said Resolution and specifications for street work on file in the office of the City Clerk of the city of Oakland. This notice shall be published for six days in the Oakland Tribune, being the newspaper designated by said City Council for such publication.

Oakland, July 16th, 1897.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

PROPOSALS for furnishing four horses to the Fire Department.

Department of Public Works, City Hall, Oakland, Cal., July 10, 1897.

In accordance with Resolution No. 2693 of the Board of Public Works, sealed proposals will be received in open session of the Board of Public Works, at their office in the City Hall, on Wednesday, the twenty-first day of July, 1897, from 10 to 11 o'clock A. M., for furnishing four horses to the Fire Department in and of the city of Oakland.

The said horses to be not less than five nor over seven years of age, to be not less than fifteen hands in height, to weigh not less than twelve hundred pounds, to have good life and action, and must be warranted perfectly sound and gentle and broken to harness. The said horses to be delivered to the Chief Engineer of the Fire Department and to the satisfaction of the Board of Public Works.

All bids must be made upon the blank forms of the Board, which will be furnished upon application, by the Secretary.

All bids must be accompanied by a check certified by some responsible bank, made payable to the order of J. W. Tompkins, Clerk of the Council, for not less than ten per cent of the proposal, which check shall be forfeited to the city of Oakland should the bidder receiving the award fail within five days to enter into a contract and furnish a good and sufficient bond in the sum of $100 for the faithful performance of the same.

The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By order of the Board of Public Works.

H. W. THOMAS,
Secretary.

LEGAL.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Georgine O. Larsen, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate at private sale.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, dated July 12, 1897, we will sell at private sale the following described real estate:

The following is the real estate authorized to be sold, being situate in the county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

First—Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street with the westerly line of Alice street; thence southerly and along said westerly line of Alice St. seventy-three (73) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with Eighth street twenty-seven (27) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Alice street seventy-three (73) feet to the said southerly line of Eighth street, and thence at right angles and along said southerly line of Eighth street easterly twenty-seven (27) feet to the intersection of said Alice St. and point of commencement. Being a portion of lots 15, 16 and 17 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellerberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2, 1853.

Second—Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Eighth street twenty-seven feet westerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street and the westerly line of Alice street, and running thence southerly and parallel with the said Alice street seventy-three (73) feet; thence at right angles westerly and parallel with the said Eighth street twenty-four (24) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with the said Alice street seventy-three (73) feet to the said southerly line of Eighth street, and thence at right angles easterly and parallel to said southerly line of Eighth street twenty-four (24) feet to the point of commencement, being a portion of lots 15, 16 and 17 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellerberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2, 1853.

Third—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Alice street seventy-three feet southerly from the intersection of the southerly line of Eighth street and the westerly line of Alice street, and running thence westerly and parallel with the said southerly line of Eighth street seventy-five (75) feet; thence at right angles southerly and parallel with the said westerly line of Alice street twenty-five (25) feet; thence at right angles and parallel with Eighth street seventy-five (75) feet easterly to the said westerly line of Alice street; thence at right angles northerly and along the said westerly line of Alice street 25 feet to the point of commencement, being lot 18 in block 80 as laid down and designated in Kellerberger's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county Sept. 2nd, 1853.

Fourth—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Market St. two hundred and fifty-one feet northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second St. and the westerly line of Market St. and running thence westerly and parallel with said Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Market St. twenty-five (25) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second street one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet to the westerly line of Market street, and thence at right angles southerly and parallel to the said westerly line of Market St. twenty-five (25) feet to the point of commencement, being lot 12 in block 636 as laid down and designated in Boardman's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county April 23rd, 1853.

Fifth—Beginning at a point on the westerly line of Market St. two hundred and seventy-six feet northerly from the intersection of the northerly line of Twenty-second St. and the westerly line of Market St. and running thence westerly and parallel with Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet; thence at right angles northerly and parallel with Market St. twenty-eight (28) feet; thence at right angles easterly and parallel with Twenty-second St. one hundred and twenty-five feet to the said westerly line of Market St., and running thence southerly and along said westerly line of Market St. twenty-eight (28) feet to the point of commencement, being lot 13 and a portion of lot 14 in block 636 as laid down and designated in Boardman's map of Oakland and vicinity, filed for record in the office of the County Recorder of Alameda county April 23rd, 1853.

The sale will be made on or after July 30th, 1897, and bids will be received up to and including July 29, 1897, at the office of E. C. Chapman, one of the executors of the said estate, Mills Building, seventh floor, rooms 43-45, San Francisco, California.

Terms of sale—Each sale will be for cash to the highest bidder. Ten per cent of price offered to accompany bid, balance upon confirmation of the sale by the Superior Court. Property may be bid for in parcels or as a whole. Deed at the expense of the purchaser. No bid considered unless accompanied by ten per cent of the price offered.

Dated July 12th 1897.

WM. M. HATFIELD,
E. C. CHAPMAN,
Executors of the estate of Georgine O. Larsen, deceased.
EVERETT AMES, Attorney for Executors, Mills Bld'g, S. F.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James Plumb McLean, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of James Plumb McLean, deceased, and for the issuance to Wm. H. McLean of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 26th day of July, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated July 9th, 1897.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC WORK.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 6th day of July, A. D. 1897, the City Council of the city of Oakland passed Resolution of Intention No. 23

GOLDBERG BOWEN & CO.

SPECIAL SAVING SALE.

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday.

The reputation of 47 years guarantee the quality—price insures the sale.

Teas (all 50c per lb.) now 35c
3 for $1.00.
20 varities. New Season's Teas.

Zinfandel V. V. Claret, 45c
Regularly 75c.

Marmalade, Keiller's Scotch 17½c
Regularly 25c.
Made from Seville Oranges.

California Brandy, 3 bot. for $2
Gal. $3.00.
Regularly $1.00 and $4.00.
7-year old, pure grape.

Alkethrepia 25c
Regularly 30c. A homeopathic Cocoa.

Figs, Imported Smyrna, 15c
Regularly 25c.

Tooth Brushes, 20c, 25c, 35c
Regularly 25c, 35c, 50c.
We have reduced these for three days previous to taking inventory of stock.

Camping and country orders specially solicited. Goods of the value of $5 at regular prices, 100 miles free. Illustrated catalogue free.

FOOTPADS ARE ABOUT.

The Tall and the Short Man Again Resume Their Operations.

One Victim Is Severely Clubbed for Resisting the Robbers.

The tall and the short man who did some rather clever work a few weeks ago, and among other things held up a mounted policeman, relieving him of his gun, came out of their seclusion Saturday night and relieved a couple of boys of their week's salaries. Last night they stood up another lad and gave him a severe beating.

Saturday night's victim was Thomas Kelley, aged sixteen years, who is employed at Becker's Meat Market. The boy had reached Fifth and Madison streets, when he was stood up by the two masked men. He was relieved of some small change and when released hurried to the Police Station and reported the matter to the police.

His description of the robbers was inaccurate, as the lad was greatly excited.

Harry Anderson, who works at Eliasson's book store on Fourteenth street, between Broadway and Washington, and who lives at 839 San Pablo avenue, was stopped at Lydia and Brush streets at a few minutes past 10 o'clock last night.

When he saw the men approaching the boy dropped his watch, which was the only thing of value on his person, in a bunch of weeds and then tried to stand the men off with his fists. He received a couple of blows from the butt of a pistol for his pains, two deep scalp wounds being the result.

Anderson was stunned for a moment and when he recovered the foot pads had gone. He then returned to the bunch of weeds where he had dropped his watch and secured the time piece. Later he reported the matter to the police.

Captain Judd Buncoed.

Captain E. D. Judd, a Park street real estate agent of Alameda, sold the Terrace baths of that city to a man giving his name as Benjamin Wright, who gave a check of $650 to close the deal. Wright borrowed $20 from Judd and left, and subsequently the real estate man learned that the check was bogus.

Visiting Pastors in Berkeley.

Rev. C. C. Pierce of Chelsea, Mass., Rev. J. A. Cruzan, editor of the Pacific Congregationalist; Rev. Dr. Forbes of Santa Barbara and Rev. J. M. Ross of Kirkwood, Ill., supplied pulpits in Berkeley yesterday.

Centerville Won.

The home team defeated the Irvington in a game of baseball at Centerville yesterday. The score was 16 to 4.

REST IN THE TOMB

Col. Charles Crocker Passes Away at His San Mateo Home.

A VERY SUCCESSFUL CAREER.

His Estate Supposed to Be Valued at Ten Millions.

FUNERAL SET FOR TOMORROW.

The Remains Will Be Laid in the Laurel Hill Cemetery.

Colonel Charles F. Crocker, vice president of the Southern Pacific Road died at his home at Uplands in San Mateo last Saturday night at 7:15 o'clock. Death was painless because it came while the patient was unconscious. The Colonel at the last moment was surrounded by family and friends.

The career of the Colonel was a most interesting one. Although he inherited wealth, he did not hesitate to fit himself technically for the profession of railroading which he had elected to follow, and which found in the second place in authority among the officers at the time of his death.

The Colonel was a genial gentleman, popular with those who knew him and his death will leave a void among the social and club circles of San Francisco.

The estate of the Colonel is estimated to be valued at $10,000,000. It consists of a number of valuable properties and other features as follows:

A one-fourth interest in the estate of his father, Charles Crocker, which was said to be worth $40,000,000. The property of the Crocker Company consists in the main of railroad stocks and bonds and other securities. It also includes holdings in the business and other parts of San Francisco, among them being the following:

Crocker building, at the junction of Market, Montgomery and Post streets, valued at $1,250,000.

Golden Gate Block, 129 to 131 Post street, valued at $200,000.

Property on the north side of Post street, between Kearney street and Grant avenue, 100 feet front by 137 feet deep, occupied by Wilson's restaurant and the Butterick Pattern Company, valued at $150,000.

Revere block, 523 Market street, valued at $200,000.

Dividend block northwest corner Pine and Liedesdorff streets, a five-story office building, valued at $100,000.

Belden block, southwest corner Montgomery and Bush streets, valued at $175,000.

Cosmopolitan block, a 50-vara with store building, southwest corner of Sansome and Bush, valued at $300,000.

The Charles Crocker mansion on California street, the value of which it is difficult to estimate.

H. S. Crocker building, 211-215 Bush street, valued at $200,000.

The Crocker Company also owns a large amount of ranch property on both sides of San Mateo County line. These ranches comprise about 4,500 acres and include the Daily, Guadaloupe and other dairies and the Visitacion ranch of 3,000 acres. These ranch properties, together with several smaller outside holdings, are valued at $1,000,000.

The incorporated estate has many large holdings of ranch and town properties in Fresno, Merced and other counties of the State.

Among personal holdings of Colonel Crocker were his city residence, corner Pine and Leaven worth streets, and Uplands, his recently purchased country seat in San Mateo county.

The remains of the Colonel will lie at the home in San Mateo until tomorrow afternoon. At noon, there will be simple religious service held over them. After that, they will be borne to Masonic Temple, San Francisco, where the services peculiar to the Masonic order, of which the deceased was a member will be held.

The remains will be intered in Laurel Hill Cemetery. The arrangements for the funeral were made yesterday at San Mateo by a number of associates of the deceased who had been called thither to consult with the family on the subject. Among those present were General Manager Julius Kruttschnitt, Manager J. A. Filmore, H. E. Huntington, Third Vice President J. C. Stubbs, Master of Transportation G. F. Richardson, Freight Auditor C. J. Wilder, W. E. Brown, who fills the position of vice president of the Crocker-Woolworth Bank; A. F. Morrison, attorney for the bank; W. Frank Pierce and A. Chesebrough.

Arrangements have been made for the running of a special train, consisting of Colonel Crocker's private car and a funeral car from Third and Townsend streets, San Francisco to San Mateo tomorrow morning. The train, which will leave at 10 o'clock, will take such of the immediate friends as the family desire to have present at the services at the house. These services will be conducted by Rev. Robert Mackenzie, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. Dr. Mackenzie is now on his way from Ogden, and is expected to arrive in the city this evening. These services, will be strictly private. It being the desire of the household that only the relatives and immediate friends of the family should be present. The remains will be taken to San Mateo, and the special train will convey them, together with the family and friends, at 1 o'clock, to the station at Third and Townsend streets. From there the funeral procession will go to the Masonic Temple, where the public services are to be held at 2 o'clock.

GAVE A DEED TO OAKLAND.

If Oakland be not indebted to Colonel C. A. Crocker for the title to Lake Merritt, this city is certainly indebted to him for saving expensive and lengthy litigation. When M. C. Chapman was Mayor the question of title to Lake Merritt was brought up and Colonel Crocker stated that he believed it was the property of the Water Front Company and that the title to it was vested in that corporation.

At that time Colonel Crocker valued the water part at $1,000 per acre and as there are probably not less than 200 acres in the lake, the gross value would be $200,000. Some negotiations were had and Colonel Crocker stated that the lake could be put to no other use than that of a water park so he presented to the city a deed, in which the Water Front Company forever relinquishes any right to the property that might be vested in them. No matter what conflict may now arise between the Water Front Company and the city, Colonel Crocker's action forever prevented any possibility of further litigation regarding the lake.

A REVIEW OF A FRUITFUL LIFE.

Mr. Crocker Advanced Rapidly Through Perserverance and Fortune

The following concerning Mr. Crocker was written by William H. Mills and was published in the Examiner:

Charles Frederick Crocker was born in the city of Sacramento, the capital of California, December 26, 1854. He was, therefore, at the time of his death, 43 years of age. His father, Charles Crocker, one of the most distinguished financiers and railway builders of his time, emigrated from Northern Indiana to this State in 1849. The elder Crocker was a native of New York, but removed with his father in boyhood across Northern Ohio and Northern Indiana into the northwest portion of the latter State. It was here he grew to manhood and his earliest commercial venture was in the manufacture of iron. The absence of economic communication between the different portions of the country forced upon every community the task of self-support. The high cost of transportation operated as a protection to the value of home products; but for the same reason the profit of the forge was dependent upon a home market in its most restricted sense. The stories of the fabulous riches of the gold mines in California made a strong appeal to the bold and enterprising nature of the elder Crocker and he joined the earliest Argonauts.

His commercial and enterprising instincts led him to choose a mercantile life as a career in his new home. He soon found himself at the head of one of the most successful commercial houses in the State. Three years later he returned to his former home in Indiana, returning again to California with his newly wedded wife, the mother of the subject of this sketch. In 1860 he became identified with Leland Stanford, C. P. Huntington, Mark Hopkins and his brother, E. B. Crocker, in the construction of the overland railroad.

The career of the father in the field of enterprise upon which he achieved such eminence began when Charles Frederick Crocker was but six years of age. It is, therefore, dealing in fact, rather than metaphor to say that his earliest recollections were associated with the construction and operation of railroads. At the usual school age he entered the public schools of the city of Sacramento, which he attended until the age of 16. In 1870 he entered the University of Mound College and California Military Academy, where he remained until April, 1873. As conducive to his general health, which during the early manhood was not at any time robust, as well as in view of its educational advantages, the summer of 1873 was occupied in a tour of the British Isles, Switzerland, Germany and the Netherlands. Returning to the United States in the fall of the same year, he entered the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, N. Y. Here he pursued his studies with diligence, but failing health, which threatened the loss of eyesight, forced him to retire from the school short of a graduation in June, 1875, and at the age of 21 he returned to this State. His failing eyesight admonished him that his student life was at an end and the first question which arose was the choice of a future career. He chose the occupation of his father and determined to identify himself with the great transportation interests of the country.

A RAPID ADVANCE.

At this time his father was one of the remaining four of the eminent railroad constructors of this coast. It is an additional evidence of the sound common sense of both father and son that the boy of twenty-one was not given the high-sounding official title which might easily have been commanded, nor placed as a hereditary figurehead in charge of some important department. His first employment connected with the railroad system of California was as clerk in the Division Superintendent's office at Oakland wharf. The position was in no sense a sinecure. He was required to perform the same service and received the same pay as like positions elsewhere. The details of operating a line of railroad as it can be seen only from the standpoint of the Division Superintendent became familiar to him. It was an apprenticeship in the most practical field of railroad operation. Having served faithfully in this position a second brief tour of England and Continental Europe was accorded as a well-deserved vacation. Returning, his first promotion was to the position of clerk in the general freight office at the general offices of the company in San Francisco, a position which afforded a clear view of the whole field of railroad operation in its commercial and economic aspect. In this position he discharged the full round of duties. As the prospective successor of his father's interests in the railway system of the Pacific Coast he was admitted to the directory and elected Third Vice-President of the Southern Pacific Company in 1885, the office having been created for him by the unanimous vote of the directors. Prior to this, however, his health appearing to demand relaxation and recreation, he made a trip to Japan and China, returning much improved.

On September 7, 1880, at the age of 26, he was married to Miss Easton, the estimable daughter of A. M. Easton and Mrs. Adelia M. Easton, the latter the sister of D. O. Mills. Mrs. Crocker was a lady of rare accomplishments and strongly individualized character. To this happy union three children were born. His marital happiness was, however, of short duration and he encountered the first great and heartfelt bereavement of his life in the death of his beloved wife, which occurred February 25, 1887.

MADE VICE-PRESIDENT.

As the son acquired knowledge and competency in the general administration of the company's affairs the father began to withdraw his attention measurably from its more arduous duties and allow himself more of that well-merited leisure and retirement which his failing health so imperatively demanded. In 1888 young Crocker was promoted to the position of second vice-president. The position of third vice-president, which had been created for him would perhaps have lapsed into a sinecure but for the continued absence of the superior officers of the property. Leland Stanford, the president of the company, was frequently abroad in Europe. C. P. Huntington, the first vice-president and financial head, was located in New York. The constant expansion of the railway system gave to its financial affairs a primacy of importance which required the presence in the general financial office in New York of Charles Crocker, and thus Charles Frederick Crocker, remaining at home, the sole representative of the real ownership of the property, became the resident managing director. Exigencies constantly arise in the management of the affairs of a great railway system requiring immediate decision. Even telegraphic communication with co-directors abroad cannot wholly relieve the local resident director of responsibility in the solution of important problems. Being on the ground he must act, and in acting must necessarily exercise a large discretion of judgment. His promotion, therefore, to the second vice-presidency was well earned. In this new and higher position came broader discretion of judgment. His official relation to the administrative affairs of the company, however, was not the heaviest burden imposed upon him in the year of his promotion. On August 14, 1888, his distinguished father died, leaving to him as the oldest and most experienced member of the family primary charge of an estate valued at $24,000,000. The estate was inextricably interwoven with the railway system and its concomitant interests. It was, indeed, a vast property sustaining complex relations to other estates with a very large percentage of its value dependent upon the success of vast enterprises, the conduct of which demanded the largest administrative ability and the most experienced business sagacity. However active or real the official relations sustained by Col. Crocker to the affairs of the railway system and the varied interests of the estate to which he was in part prospective successor prior to the death of his father that event imposed upon him additional and more serious responsibilities. By the terms of his father's will he became, in co-trusteeship with his brother, William H. Crocker, trustee of the estate and by priority of age and experience its principal administrator. Thus to official function was added the augmented responsibility of increased personal ownership and the higher duties of a trust relation. Fourteen months later his beloved mother departed this life. Thus in three successive years he was bereaved of a wife, a father and a mother.

ANOTHER PROMOTION.

Upon the retirement of Leland Stanford from the presidency and the election of C. P. Huntington to that office, Charles Frederick Crocker became by the unanimous choice of the ownership the first vice-president, and was fully vested with all the discretionaary power the position implies. Thus at the early age of 36 he stood a full participant in the administrative responsibility of interests involving two hundred million dollars capital. Nor should it be forgotten that the advancement herein outlined was at the hands of men who stood among the foremost railroad constructors, operators and financiers of the age. The accident of relationship may afford opportunity for the achievement of ojcial relation involving the discharge of great administrative duties, but such accidents do not go beyond the opportunity. In the discharge of functions connected with the operation of a great system of transportation employing hundreds of millions of capital and carrying millions in value of property and millions of precious lives, ability must be present if the position which accident may have conferred is maintained. Mr. Crocker's promotion may have been in a measure a concession to his prospective ownership of the property controlled, but to maintain any position in the executive department of a railroad system ability equal to the place must be manifested.

It is extremely doubtful whether a completely candid biography was ever written. At best the biographer adopts a partial view. If the portraiture is at the hands of friendship the warm colors of charity are applied. If by the hand of enmity the distortion of malice is present. "Paint me as I am," said Oliver Cromwell to the artist before whom he was sitting for a portrait. "If you smooth out one wrinkle or attempt the outline of symmetry where deformity exists I will repudiate the picture." The task of the biographer, however, differs from that of the artist. The former deals with intellectual and moral elements of character which elude exact measurements; the latter may invoke in his work the common rules of drawing and perspective. Cromwell was, perhaps, less vain of his personal appearance than of his record as a statesman, and if he could have anticipated the work of some of his biographers we are inclined to the opinion that he would have preferred less faithful portraiture. The verdicts of contemporaneous history and biography alike encounter distrust as to their impartiality, but there must exist somewhere between the Charybdis and Scylla of detraction and flattery a free and open channel of personal criticism, wherein a just estimate of our contemporaries may find unobstructed way.

A MAN OF CULTURE.

Personally Charles F. Crocker was below the medium height, with full, round form, which conferred the appearance of robust health and vigor. His manner was deliberate and readily invited confidence. His method of conversation was unrestrained, easy, and free of ostentation. His methodical habits of business were suggested by the obviously careful arrangement of his statements. When hesitating in the choice of words he never accepted that proffered by his auditor, but proceeded with his own selection and when it was put forth the auditor perceived that the hesitation was not the result of search for a missing word, but rather the deliberate choice between many words nearly synonomous in the mind. Mr. Crocker was well informed upon a great variety of topics. His taste in reading ran in the line of history, essay and contemporaneous literature. It was one of the charms of conversation with him that his opinions were original and real. This is referable in part to the absence of those attributes of character which constitute the politician. He was not assailed by political ambition. His opinions were, therefore, the real convictions of his mind. He was particularly familiar with the political issues of his own country and the leading ones of the world. He would have achieved a high degree of political success with great facility. Real influence resides in character. The faculty of attracting and holding the confidence of the masses of men has its root in the stability of friendship and the continuity of purpose we feel to possess instinctively a knowledge of what some men may do under stated circumstances and there is no deviation of confidence from real integrity and high purpose.

In thus retracing briefly the career of a young man born to fortune the writer is not unconscious of its departure from the monotonous features of American biography. Nearly all of our countrymen who have achieved sufficient eminence to justify the presentation of biographical sketches to the public have arisen from obscurity. The early disadvantages of our great men is the favorite theme of the eulogist. The contrast between the poverty and the obscurity in which their young life was passed and the ultimate eminence achieved by them is constantly dwelt upon. We share in the admiration for men who by the force of manly character have raised themselves from the obscuring levels of our common humanity to the summits of true greatness.

ATTAINED HIGH AIMS.

We share in the proud admiration for the broad liberality of American institutions which interpose no obstacle to the achievement of the highest distinction on every field of human activity. At the same time it should not be forgotten that it is less difficult to acquire a strong reliance and manly individualized character in the school where necessity is master than to acquire the more solid elements of manliness against the demoralizing tendencies of great riches The way from poverty to wealth is much easier than from wealth to substantial character. The philosopher who said that men acquire wisdom in solitude but character in the stream of life has furnished a key to the success of men of eminence whose lives had their source in poverty and obscurity. Necessity confers self-reliance, concentration and earnestness of purpose. The man whose boyhood was passed amid the discomforts, the apprehensions and even the terrors of poverty, may readily refer the strength and tenacity of his character to its formative influence. Even the natural affections of the poor boy are powerfully enlisted on the side of his determination to rise from conditions which offend every aspiration from the commonest ambition to the dearest affection the human heart can know. When life begins in a complete competency or in great wealth there is no spur of necessity to prick the ambition of aimless exertion. The history of a thousand distinguished men proves that poverty is the great constructor of character while wealth is its most insidious destroyer. The consciousness that the means of the gratification of every desire are practically limitless has the poison of surfeit and the possessor of a great fortune in youth is beset by the danger of morbid tendencies. The ambition to acquire a competency is most worthy and if the most honorable place in life is in the ranks of honest industry, the most honorable place in these ranks belongs to him who, standing shoulder to shoulder with his fellow men in the great industrial army is there from choice not of necessity.

If Mr. Crocker did not achieve official distinction it is a high encomium to say that he did not seek it through a vain desire for public adulation. If it is said that in making his way he has occupied the vantage ground of great wealth it is a higher distinction to say that among all men of wealth he was the most unspoiled of millionaires. At the age of 43 he had achieved wealth, position, and high and honorable distinction among men.

CHURCH DIFFICULTIES.

Differences Among Catholic Priests Are Finally Settled.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

LINCOLN, Neb., July 19.—From the rostrums of the Roman Catholic churches in Lincoln it was formally announced yesterday that the differences existing for some time between Bishop Bonacum and several of his priests had been settled to the satisfaction of both factions.

The quarrel has extended over a period of five years and provoked some very animated scenes and discussions. At one time twenty priests of the diocese were in open rebellion against Bishop Bonacum.

The trouble grew out of the alleged tyranny of the Bishop in removing his priests in an arbitrary manner. At one time Bonacum was in the Police Court charged with criminal libel, growing out of the excommunication of one of the priests.

The cases have been several times reviewed by the Papal delegates Satolli and Martinelli, once tried by a specially organized canonical court at Dubuque and once reviewed by the Vatican. In the final settlement both parties make concessions.

Fathers Fitzgerald and Murphy, the most aggressive of those in opposition to the Bishop, are well provided for. The former is given a good charge at Grafton and the latter will go to Seward, both Nebraska towns. Father Fitzgerald has also been offered the position of private secretary to Church Howe of Nebraska, who goes to Samoa as the representative of the United States.

RAILROAD CHANGES.

Eastern Lines Will Be Propelled by Electricity in Future.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The Journal and Advertiser says:

Projected changes in the motive power of the three elevated railway lines of Greater New York and the New York, New Haven and Hartford steam surface roads have been announced. In the case of the New Haven road, the alterations have begun and the elevated roads await only the consummation of incidental plans to embark in changes of kindred type, which portend among other things, a revolution of the rapid transit system of New York.

The electric motor, driven by the currents of the third rail system, will supplant the steam engine on each of these roads. President Clark of the New Haven road, George Gould, Russell Sage and General Manager Francis Clie of the Manhattan and President Ullman of the Brooklyn Elevated road, are to be the patrons of the third rail system. Behind them is J. Pierpont Morgan.

PEACH CROPS FAIL.

The Eastern Market Is Much in Need of California Fruit.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A special to the Tribune from Baltimore says:

Boston and New York draw largely on the Delaware and Maryland peninsula for their supplies of peaches. From one hundred thousand to two hundred thousand baskets are shipped to those cities every season from the tidewater countries of Maryland.

Agents have just completed their estimate of the crop, and estimate that the yield will not be more than one-fourth that of last summer. The June crop in the orchards was unusually heavy, but the failure is largely caused by the ravages of the curculio, an insect that infests nearly every orchard in this great peach growing country. The same insect has done considerable damage in the Delaware and New Jersey orchards.

POLICE PICKINGS.

The cases of Fred Burchard and M. Silva, arrested for violating the ordinances prohibiting the driving of heavy teams over the boulevard, have been stricken from the calendar.

The case of Mabel Clark, convicted for vagrancy, has gone over till tomorrow for sentence. Judge Allen and Chief Lloyd thought at first of sending the woman to the Beulah Rescue Home, but Mabel was not willing to take the step. She has expressed a willingness, however, to leave the city, and Judge Allen may suspend judgment.

The examination of Adolph Arnberg, who took Miss Anne Bosche to the Exposition Friday evening, and, according to the girl's story, criminally assaulted her on the way home, has been set for July 22d. Arnberg has secured Hugh S. Aldrich to represent him. The bonds in the case have been fixed at $10,000, and Mr. Aldrich says he will have little trouble in securing bondsmen. The girl admitted to Officer Frank Carson that she has been unduly intimate with other men, and the police put small faith in her story of Friday night's affair.

William Newman, who tapped the till of John Xavier's saloon at Twenty-first and Broadway yesterday morning, will plead to a charge of petit larceny tomorrow.

J. Finch, who got drunk and thrashed a friend Saturday, has pleaded not guilty to disturbing the peace and battery, he will be tried Wednesday.

A TELEGRAPHIC CABLE CONNECTING ALL POINTS OF IMPORTANCE ON THE GLOBE HAS A BRANCH WIRE IN THE TRIBUNE OFFICE. THE NEWS IS RECEIVED IMMEDIATELY AND NOT A DAY OLD.

Arms for Crete.

By Associated Press to The Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A dispatch to the Herald from Constantinople says: In spite of the presence of the European troops, the Anglo-Hellenic revolutionary societies keep sending agents and arms into Crete.

This must necessarily tend to delay the negotiations for peace.

Oaklanders Won.

The A. Jacobs & Co. baseball team defeated the Benicia team yesterday by a score of 2 to 1.

The game was the most exciting played there for some time. There was very good playing on both sides, but the Jacobs & Co. team proved to be more than the home team's equal. The batteries were: Jacobs & Co., Shaw and Baumgarten; Benicia, George and Hayes. Umpires, Getz and W. Denny.

Old Schoolmates Meet.

Israel Horton and Captain John McMullen, who were school fellows at Yarmouth, Nova Scotia half a century ago, met at Livermore yesterday for the first time in fifty years. Horton resides at Livermore, but McMullen is here on a visit.

Fire Fighters on the Heights.

Mrs. John Yule was the heroine of Boulevard Heights Saturday, when she directed the residents of the Heights in a long, desperate battle against a grass fire, which was started in her back yard, but which got beyond control. The residents finally won.

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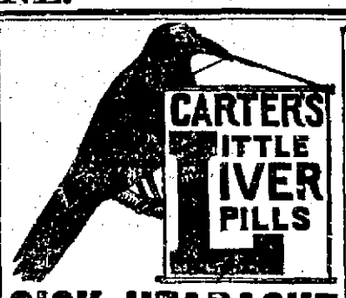

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